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Boston and Vicinity: Rain tonight and Sunday; warmer tonight; fresh to strong south and southwest winds.
Sun rises at 6:56; sets at 4:13.
Moon sets at 1:05.
High tide at 6:09 a. m.; 6:37 p. m.
Temperature at 11 a. m., 40; maximum, 40; minimum, 38; average till 11 a. m., 39.
Light all vehicles at 4:43 p. m.

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MRS. MacSWINEY WELCOMED

Today

Strange Socialists
The Lucky Touch
Most Interesting Death
1,000,000 Bottles

—By Arthur Brisbane—

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Davenport is run by Socialist officials. The street cars are run by private owners. They cut down the service. Thereupon those Socialist officials loaded the president of the street car system, the general manager and several crews of employes into the patrol wagon and took them to the police station.

The officials were each fined $100; minor employes $25 apiece.

It is sad to hear of such respectable gentlemen taking a ride in the patrol wagon, but there may be something in the idea. It will be worth while to watch that street car system and observe its improvement.

Dr. Robinson, "the colored Ponzi" of Chicago, had a modern, good idea. He said the American Car & Foundry Company owed him $10,000,000, and he expected to collect. While waiting for the ten millions he sold his personal notes, charging $10 for a $250 note. Many, white and colored, bought those notes, tempted by "large profits." They learned, however, that the American Car & Foundry Company never owed Dr. Robinson anything. Dr. Robinson will go to jail and buyers of his notes, having learned a lesson, will now, presumably, resume the buying of wildcat oil stocks.

Harvard students, facing difficult examinations, walk up to Horween, captain of the football team, and touch him with one finger "to bring luck."

Horween won at every game this season tossing for the opening advantage. Being lucky, he is supposed to have the power to communicate his luck by touch.

You travel back, via Harvard, to the most ancient belief among human beings. Kings touching their subject to cure them of "king's evil," presented the Horween idea.

If Horween had lived ten thousand years ago he might have made, as high priest of some temple a first class living out of the foolish belief in his "touch."

Many interesting deaths in history, the philosopher that jumped into the volcano's mouth; the Nihilist prisoner in Russia that burned himself to death by pressing his back against the little oil lamp high up on his cell wall; Japanese, sensitive about his honor, who rips open his own stomach to avenge an insult; Lucretia, who killed herself instead of killing Sextus in the modern American way. All are to be eclipsed by D'Annunzio, the fighting poet. He is determined that his death shall be as striking as his curious life. Not satisfied with the Fiume settlement, it is announced that D'Annunzio has undermined the whole city of Fiume with dynamite, all the dynamite deposits being connected by wire. If he can't have his way D'Annunzio will blow up the city and, of course, himself with it.

The President tells the farmers and livestock men, threatened by disaster through the fall in prices, that he can do nothing for them, and is sorry. The President's reply is sincere and earnest. Yet a nation that could do so much for all the grafters and profiteers, Hog Island scoundrels and others, in time of war, ought to be able to do something for its own farmers in time of peace.

The farmers have no better friend than Mr. Houston, Secretary of the Treasury. If he could help them he would.

Europe now owes this country fourteen thousand million dollars, Mr. Houston says, and that is part of the trouble. You'd think that a country that, without asking consent or approval of its citizens, lent fourteen thousand millions to foreign nations, could do something for its own farmers, on whose industry all the people depend for their food.

A man who bought wood alcohol and sold it as whiskey, thus killing one hundred people in New England, is sentenced to eighteen and a half years in prison. It is a case of giving a wholesale rate on murder. If an individual had killed one individual in a burglary he would have paid for it with his life. But having killed one hundred in the effort to make profit by violating the law, this man goes to jail for eighteen years—about two months for each person killed.

One million bottles of champagne are ordered for shipment to this country, according to the New York Times. These bottles full of bubbles are coming in "for medicinal purposes."

Who are the gentlemen in delicate health that will drink the million bottles?

Everybody knows that "medicinal purposes" is a joke. Some citizens are rich enough to get what they want from the government. They want champagne and are GOING TO HAVE IT.

No other country in the world, outside of Asia, would tolerate such discrimination. Prohibition for the poor man and a million bottles of champagne for medicinal purposes for the rich.

However, there is no use getting excited about it. Men have just the kind of government that they deserve. The people of this country, if they had as much spirit as an ordinary mouse, would have a different kind of government.

B. C. PICK OVER HOLY CROSS

Great Throng Cheers Old Rivals in Game at Braves Field

Braves Field Lineup

Boston College	Holy Cross
Comerford, l. e.	r. e., Young
Treat, l. t.	r. t., McGrath
Doyle, l. g.	r. g., Healey
Heaphy, c.	c., Gildea
Kelley, r. g.	l. g., Case
O'Brien, r. t.	l. t., Conway
Urban, r. e.	l. e., Brannon
Corrigan, q. b.	q. b., Smith
Liston, l. h. b.	r. h. b., Simondinger
Roderick, r. h. b.	l. h. b., Gagnon
Kelleher, f. b.	f. b., Flynn

By CHARLES E. PARKER.

One of the season's greatest gridiron clashes brought a wonderful football year to a close in Boston today—the annual battle of Boston College and Holy Cross, ancient and deadly rivals.

The pair met on the broad stretches of Braves Field, where a mighty crowd—one of the year's biggest—looked on and cheered vociferously.

Boston College, unbeaten, went into the game a slight favorite, but that didn't affect the spirits or the enthusiasm of the thousands who came up from Worcester to root for the Purple. The conquerors of Syracuse

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EVERETT MAN ROBBED BY SAILORS ON COMMON

Harry E. Gaines, of No. 85 Reed avenue, Everett, was held up and robbed of a gold watch, chain and pocket knife and a small amount of cash by three men dressed in the uniforms of United States sailors early today while crossing the Common on Park Street Mall.

SOUTHERN IRELAND SWEPT BY HURRICANE

Dublin, Dec. 4.—A hurricane, which has caused loss of life and heavy damage to property, is raging in County Tyrone, said a dispatch from Strabane today.

Boston Police Seeking 'Duke' de Clamecy

Anybody seen "Duke" Philippe de Clamecy, clever confidence man, check raiser and forger, around Boston lately? Police of this city and Toronto are anxious to put their hands on this self-styled scion of one of France's oldest noble families.

Canadian officials bring the story of the "Duke's" latest escapade in Montreal, where he was arrested by three detectives, but duped them by slipping through an open window and down a fire escape of one of Montreal's fashionable hotels.

Officials of the Boston Structural Steel Company in Cambridge, where the "Duke" worked about six months ago, while entangled with a Cambridge girl then living in Providence, say de Clamecy went from here to Canada, where he is said to have represented himself as the special agent of the concern seeking a factory site.

The mayors of several Canadian towns and a number of chambers of commerce were led into aiding his plans, according to the police.

MILKMAN'S SON KILLED IN LIFT

Boy of 11 Years Crushed to Death in Elevator in Back Bay

Albert Delorey, eleven-year-old assistant to his father, a milkman, was killed in the Huntington Chambers in Copley square in a freight elevator accident. The boy was caught between the elevator and the wall of the well as he started the car upward.

He was carried past two floors, shrieking for help, and when the elevator stopped just above the third floor, the boy's crushed body was pitched downward to the bottom of the pit.

Nobody saw the beginning of the tragedy. The boy's screams caused the janitor of the building to stop the car by means of a cable. A woman on the third floor saw the youthful victim as he fell.

The body was taken to City Hospital, where Delorey was pronounced dead, and later removed to the morgue. The boy lived at No. 195 Green street, Cambridge.

100 GUESTS FLEE FROM HOTEL FIRE

New York, Dec. 4.—One hundred guests, many of them actresses, were driven from their rooms in the Hotel Thorndyke, on West 56th street, early today by a fire caused by sparks from the furnace igniting rubbish.

Firemen extinguished the blaze which caused but slight damage.

Miss Elen Lee Worthing, of the Greenwich Village Follies, became hysterical when she discovered she had left a two weeks' old pet pig in her room. She was quieted, however, when a fireman rescued the porker.

HARDING REACHES NEWPORT NEWS

Newport News, Va., Dec. 4.—President-elect Harding landed here today from his sea trip to Panama. The Pastores, on which the President-elect made his voyage, was escorted up Hampton Roads by squadrons of airplanes, seaplanes and dirigibles.

REPORT GERMANY HAS BANISHED ENVER PASHA

Berlin, Dec. 4.—Enver Pasha, former war minister in the Turkish Cabinet, has been expelled from Germany, it was learned today from an authoritative source. He has long been called a tool of the old imperial government of Turkey. He was accused of being the chief instrument of Germany in forcing Turkey into the war on the side of the central powers.

VEILED WOMAN IN AUTO STEALS HAIR OF GIRL

Gardner, Dec. 4.—Stepping from an automobile in Baldwinsville, near the overhead bridge, a veiled woman snipped the long black braids of hair from the scalp of Margaret Berro, aged fourteen, of Highland street, Baldwinsville. She threatened the child with violence if resistance was shown, fleeing in her auto after stealing the hair.

DELEGATES AT GENEVA WITHDRAW

South American Republic Turns Back on the League of Nations

By International News Service

Geneva, Dec. 4.—Official announcement was made today that Argentina has withdrawn from the League of Nations.

The trouble between Argentine and the League dates back to Wednesday, when President Paul Hymans, of the League of Nations assembly, was charged with giving no official recognition to protests made by the Argentine delegation.

The Argentine delegates made further protests against their treatment and were supported by other South American countries.

COOLIDGE SEES HISTORIC HALL PRESENTED TO CITY

Chester, Pa., Dec. 4.—Governors of twenty-two States, including President-Elect Coolidge, today witnessed the exercises attending the presentation to this city of the City Hall by Governor Sproul of Pennsylvania, at whose expense it was restored to its colonial splendor. It is his gift to his home city. This historic shrine antedates both the Independence Hall in Philadelphia and Faneuil Hall in Boston. Later the governors witnessed the first ship launching of the Sun Shipbuilding Company, when the 10,000-ton freighter Sunaco left her ways.

TO CELEBRATE FEAST OF ST FRANCIS XAVIER

On Sunday, at 3 p. m., the Feast of St. Francis Xavier will be observed in the Cathedral of the Holy Cross under the auspices of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. The celebrant will be Rev. Joseph F. McGlinchey, D. D., diocesan director of the society, assisted by the priests attached to the Cathedral of the Holy Cross.

The sermon will be preached by the Rev. Mark J. McNeal, S. J., of the Catholic University in Tokio, Japan.

NEW YORK G. O. P. WON'T TRY TO OUST SOCIALISTS

New York, Dec. 4.—Republicans who will control the 1921 State Legislature will make no effort to unseat the three Socialists who were elected to that body, it was learned today. This decision was reached at a conference of Governor-Elect Miller, Assemblyman H. E. MacHold, who is slated to be Speaker of the Assembly, and others. One Socialist was elected to the State Senate and two to the lower house in New York city.

PREMIERS DISCUSS GREEK SITUATION

London, Dec. 4.—International economic matters were discussed by Premier Lloyd George and Premier Leygues of France at the concluding session of their conference today. These included Russian trade, the forthcoming conference of allied experts at Brussels on German reparations and the financial steps to be taken by Great Britain, France and Italy if Constantine returns to Athens.

ROXBURY MAN CHARGED WITH ROBBING TAILOR

William J. Loftus of Harrison avenue Roxbury, was held in $2,000 bail by Judge Hayden in the Roxbury Court, on a charge of robbery of $25 from Davis Weinstein, a tailor, at No. 897 Dudley street, Roxbury. Loftus pleaded not guilty to the charge and furnished bail. His case was set for December 8.

MAINE SHERIFF NAMES 11 WOMEN AS DEPUTIES

Lewistown, Me., Dec. 4.—The appointment of eleven women deputies has been announced by Sheriff Stevens. This is believed to establish a record.

Great Crowd Welcoming Mrs. MacSwiney

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View of a section of the huge crowd which waited for several hours to catch a glimpse of Mrs. Terence MacSwiney, widow of the Lord Mayor of Cork, who arrived in New York today on the liner Celtic. The photograph was taken at the pier.

HUB PLANS FOR MRS. MacSWINEY

Boston Irish Societies Will Give Martyr's Widow Notable Welcome

Terence MacSwiney's widow will be given a Boston welcome comparable only to the great demonstrations in honor of President Eamon De Valera if she visits this city.

Heads of local Irish societies were busy today making tentative plans for the reception, following word from New York that the widow and sister of Cork's patriot Lord Mayor might pass this way.

Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney and Miss Mary MacSwiney, her sister-in-law, arrived in New York aboard the White Star liner Celtic. The date of their visit here has not been decided.

Those who will arrange for her welcome hope that Boston women of Irish sympathies will take a leading part in the public meetings in her honor.

They also hope she can so arrange her visit so as to be a speaker at the next mass meeting of Irish sympathizers, which it is proposed to hold in Symphony Hall some time this month.

Delegates to the American Association for the Recognition of Irish Independence met today at the American House to make their plans.

Branches of this organization will meet throughout the city tomorrow night to pledge their aid and appoint their committees. John Mitchell Branch will meet in Mishawum Hall, Charlestown; Padraic Pearse Branch in Tonti Hall, South Boston, and there will be gatherings in Hibernian Hall, Roxbury; Dudley Hall, Roxbury, and other meeting places of Irish societies.

There will be an important meeting of the Central Council of Irish Societies in Deacon Hall, No. 1651 Washington street, next Tuesday evening, to plan the part this powerful and numerous body will play in the welcome to Mrs. MacSwiney. President John J. Foley will preside.

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MRS. MacSWINEY TO TESTIFY WEDNESDAY

Washington, Dec. 4.—Senator George W. Norris, Republican, of Nebraska, has joined the American Commission on conditions in Ireland and will take active part in the inquiry into the Irish situation, it was announced here today. The commission will resume its hearings in this city on December 8 when Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney, widow, and Miss Mary MacSwiney, sister of the late Lord Mayor MacSwiney of Cork, will appear as witnesses.

Lloyd George Seeks Sinn Fein Peace

London, Dec. 4.—Premier Lloyd George has begun "peace pourparlers" with the Sinn Fein and negotiations for a truce in Irish hostilities have been in progress for several days, it was authoritatively announced by the Morning Post today.

According to the Morning Post the Premier took the initiative without consulting leading members of his Cabinet and more than one minister protested against the negotiations.

Eggs $2 a Dozen and None for Sale

Fresh eggs at $2 a dozen, with none to be had.

This record-breaking price was actually offered in the town of Whitinsville, but the demand could not be supplied.

It was vouched for by Deacon Irving O. Darling of Northbridge Centre, a poultryman, who declared the offer was made to him, but that he had no eggs left.

Old inhabitants were reminded of Civil War days, and a veteran of the Klondike stampede recalled prices in Nome during the gold rush.

A perfectly good chicken, guaranteed to grow up into an industrious laying hen, can be purchased for a little more than half the sum quoted.

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50,000 HAIL MARTYR'S WIDOW

Plans to Visit Boston After Testifying Before Committee of One Hundred

New York, Dec. 4.—Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney, widow of Lord Mayor MacSwiney, and Miss Mary MacSwiney, her sister-in-law, who landed here today from the White Star liner Celtic, plan to visit Boston as soon as they testify before the Committee of One Hundred, which is investigating conditions in Ireland, and dispose of other duties.

No date has been set for their journey to Boston, which both are eager to see.

New York, Dec. 4.—More than 50,000 people roared a welcome to Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney, widow of the martyred Lord Mayor of Cork, when she and her sister-in-law, Miss Mary MacSwiney, landed today from the steamship Celtic at pier 60, North River.

The huge crowd, made up of all creeds and nationalities, was massed in West street and approaches. It was a stirring and memorable tribute to the two women who visualized to that vast sea of people the seventy-four-day hunger strike of Terence MacSwiney and the cause for which he underwent the ordeal, and died. The majority carried small American flags and the flags of the Irish Republic and wore mourning bands on their sleeves.

The band of the "Fighting Sixty-

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SHOWS NEED OF XMAS FUND

Investigator Finds Sad Case of Poverty in Roxbury—Surprising Conditions

"I do not mind starving to death myself, but it is pretty hard for me to see my poor blind sister in the other room wanting for food."

This pathetic statement was made to a Boston American Christmas Basket Fund investigator who called on a Roxbury family seeking information about the condition of two old ladies. An appalling condition of

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50,000 WELCOME MRS. MACSWINEY ON ARRIVAL IN NEW YORK

PLANS TO VISIT IN BOSTON

Widow of Irish Martyr in Dramatic Scene as Celtic Enters N. Y. Harbor

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Ninth" played patriotic tunes, both American and Irish, and Mrs. MacSwiney and her sister-in-law were escorted down the gangplank.

RECEPTION AT HOTEL.

The visitors and escort passed through a double guard of honor made up of longshoremen and veterans of the World War, soldiers and sailors in uniform. An impressive salute was given on the pier.

In West Nineteenth street were drawn up the automobiles decorated with American and Irish republic flags which formed the procession to to St. Regis Hotel which is to be the headquarters of Mrs. MacSwiney and Miss MacSwiney during their stay in New York.

Thousands lined Twenty-third street and Fifth avenue as the procession passed. The cheering was continuous until the St. Regis was reached.

There an impromptu reception was held and Mrs. MacSwiney talked to a troop of correspondents representing newspapers and magazines all over the country. She and her sister-in-law were photographed so many times by still and movie camera-men that they were amused.

IS SURPRISINGLY YOUNG.

Mrs. MacSwiney's youthful appearance and comeliness surprised the crowd. They somehow pictured her older. She is very distinguished in appearance and highly educated. She was a school teacher before her marriage. Her husband was forty years of age at his death. She is a few years younger. Like he was she is a writer and for years has been a close student of Gaelic art and literature. Time and time again her courage was tested during the years her husband was exiled and while he was imprisoned.

A large delegation from the women's welcome committee went down the bay late yesterday afternoon on the police boat Patrol thinking they might be able to take Mrs. MacSwiney and her sister-in-law off the Celtic which dropped anchor at quarantine eight miles from the city at 5 p. m.

Collector of the Port Byron Newton, refused to permit Mrs. MacSwiney, or her sister-in-law, to leave the Celtic last night, owing to health regulations.

DRAMATIC SCENE IN BAY.

In every other way, however, Collector Newton showed every possible courtesy to Mrs. MacSwiney and her sister-in-law. Their baggage was checked up so as to avoid delay at the dock.

The Patrol circled the White Star liner several times, while the police boat, John F. Hylan, stood off and swept its searchlights along the rail of the promenade deck.

It was a dramatic scene in the dark off Quarantine. When Mrs. MacSwiney and her sister-in-law were distinguished on the deck of the Celtic the women gave them an ovation.

Greetings were exchanged as the tug Patrol stood by. The women on the Patrol sang the "Soldiers' song" and shouted "Up, De Valera; Up De Valera," and cheers were given for Mrs. MacSwiney, Miss MacSwiney, for the martyred Lord Mayor, for President De Valera and for the Irish Republic.

ANTI-IRISH RETORT.

While the women on the tug were singing the Sinn Fein song and "America," some of the cabin passengers on the Celtic shouted the words of "Rule, Britannia" and "God Save the King."

It developed into a spirited singing duel. Then when a cheer was given from the deck of the police boat for Lord Mayor MacSwiney, an English deckhand poked his head through a porthole and snarled "To hell with MacSwiney."

He was hooted and hissed and the women in unison cried "Shame."

"Three cheers for Llody George," yelled the man from the porthole, and they were drowned by cheers for MacSwiney.

"To hell with Lloyd George," bellowed a strong bass voice.

It was such feeling as this that caused the police to throw out a strong cordon today and all the authorities exercised the most extreme caution to avoid clashes during the welcome demonstration.

UNFOLD KOSSUTH'S FLAG.

A floral offering was made by Mrs. [illegible] Timke, president of the League [illegible] the New Hungary. Mrs. Timke [illegible] the stems of wreath of red [illegible] and tossed it into the water [illegible] honor of Mrs. MacSwiney and her sister-in-law, and as a tribute to the [illegible] Lord Mayor of Cork, and as [illegible] it, she solemnly waved the [illegible] which Louis Kossuth, the Hungarian patriot, brought to this country in 1851.

[illegible] on the Patrol were John E. [illegible]gerald, president of the Cork [illegible]en's Association; Mrs. Gertrude Corliss, a leading picket of the Association of American Women for the Enforcement of America's War Aims; Miss Helen Todd, Miss Kathleen O'Brennan, Thomas Lawlor, Miss Katharine Leckie, Mrs. Una Ford and Mrs. Parbath Bai Athavale, representing the Friends of Freedom for India.

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Woman Wills $68,300

The will of Mrs. Flora Gray of Newton, who died September 20, has been allowed. Francis C. Gray of Boston, a son, has been appointed executor and has given a bond of $137,000. The estate is valued at $68,300.

To Relieve a Cold in One Day Take Grove's LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE tablets. The genuine bears the signature of E. W. Grove. 30c.—Advt.

129 Killed in Ireland During November

London, Dec. 4.—Fifty-six British soldiers and British policemen were killed in Ireland during November, and forty-one were wounded, according to a casualty list for the month made public by the Sinn Fein today.

Twelve members of the Irish Republican army were killed and wounded.

Sixty-one civilians were killed and 101 wounded.

Thirty-three clubs and public halls were wrecked. Nine creameries were burned, five newspaper plants were demolished, 193 shops and houses burned and crops on seventy-one farms were destroyed.

Thirty-five men were publicly flogged, according to the report.

HOLD BOYS FOR BOLD ROBBERY

One, Only 15, Is Suspected as Leader of a Daring Holdup Gang

Edward F. Johnson, 15-year-old alleged leader of a holdup gang that has been operating in Greater Boston for some time, and a companion were rraiged in East Boston Court. Both were held in $5,000 for a hearing Tuesday.

Johnson's home is on Westward street, Dorchester. The other defendant was Frank L. O'Connor of Bowdoin street, Dorchester.

They are charged with having held up and robbed Nathan Lewis of $70 at his grocery store, No. 487 Summer street, East Boston, last Saturday evening. Two others charged with having taken part in the holdup, George Vincent and Henry Nawman, both of East Boston, were arraigned on Friday and held in $5,000 each until next Tuesday.

The police say that Johnson and O'Connor admitted complicity in the robbery, and that young Johnson boasts that he is leader of the gang. His mother, Mrs. Rose Johnson, testified that the boy was only fifteen, although his six feet of stature and general appearance would make him pass easily for twenty or twenty-one.

The arrests were made by Special Officers Driscoll and Winn of the East Boston police. It is expected that other complaints will be made against the defendants, in connection with various other robberies in and about the city.

HELD AS DRUNK; CLAIMS TO BE STATE SENATOR

A man claiming to be a State Senator-elect from one of the Connecticut districts, was arrested early today in Brighton, charged with drunkenness. He was found in the rear seat of an automobile stalled along a side street with three quarts of gin. When the chauffeur returned he did not know the destination of his employer, and he was ordered to drive to the station house. After his employer was locked up the chauffeur left the station in search of bail.

HOPE TO SETTLE HEROES' CLAIMS BY CHRISTMAS

Settlement before Christmas of the compensation and insurance claims of wounded veterans now confined to government hospitals in Massachusetts will be sought by the hospitalization committee of the American Legion, which held its first meeting in the State House. Members of the committee scored various government departments for their neglect of the wounded service men.

NEW BEDFORD SUNDAY SPORTS SEEM ASSURED

New Bedford, Dec. 4.—With Mayor Charles S. Ashley and Arthur N. Harriman, Labor party nominee, both leading candidates for the mayoralty election next Tuesday, unqualifiedly endorsing amateur Sunday sports and legalized boxing, and with no concerted campaign against either, it appears as though the two measures are certain of adoption by the voters in the referendum.

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RETURNS TO SOMERVILLE TO ATTEND SICK MOTHER

Mrs. Frederick Fuller of Akron, O., has returned to her home, No. 288 Medford street, Somerville, to be with her mother, Mrs. Anna Murphy, who is dangerously ill. Mrs. Fuller was married in Niagara on October 2, and went to Akron, where her husband, formerly of Hot Springs, N. C., is employed. She expects Mr. Fuller to join her here in a few days.

Rumor Wales Will Wed Danish Princess

By International News Service.

Copenhagen, Dec. 4.—The Politiken today printed a report that an engagement of marriage has been arranged between the Prince of Wales, heir to the British throne, and Princess Margaret, daughter of Prince Waldemar of Denmark. The Princess is in London at the present time, a guest of the British royal family.

London, Dec. 4.—"It may be stated on the highest authority that the report of the engagement of the Prince of Wales is without foundation," the Exchange Telegraph announced this afternoon. The Prince of Wales has been fox hunting in the Midlands and has not yet met the Princess Margaret nor the King and Queen of Denmark, who came to London with her, according to the Exchange Telegraph.

PROTEST 'BAD' TRAIN SERVICE

South Shore Residents Declare New Haven Is Ignoring Their Interests

"South Shore towns are subjected to train service that would not be tolerated in even the remotest village in the country," declared several Weymouth and Boston business men at a meeting in East Weymouth. "Engines that have long outlived their usefulness are being used on this line," they declare.

Newland H. Holmes, a resident of Weymouth Landing and a prominent Boston business man, condemns the officials of the New Haven railroad for forcing the service on the community.

COMMUTERS DELAYED.

"Train service on the South Shore is simply abominable," he declared. "The train scheduled to leave the South Station at 5:18 p. m. is hardly ever made up before leaving time. Commuters anxious to get home to their supper are delayed nearly every night."

Holmes quoted a train officials as saying "that those South Shore nickel commuters didn't deserve any better service anylaw."

"I can't see where he finds any ride on this division that costs a nickel," declared Holmes. "Fares are higher than they ever were and we are forced to pay the higher fare for inferior service. I can secure the signatures of 200 people who are absolutely dissatisfied with the service given by the New Haven railroad."

ENGINES BREAK DOWN.

Charles Burton, a Boston newspaperman and a daily commuter on the South Shore, also condemns the service on this line. "Delays of from thirty minutes to an hour and a half are not unusual or infrequent on this branch," he declared. "Last Thursday the 11:18 p. m. train for the South Shore was delayed at the Montclair Station for over an hour. The engineer finally repaired the engine and proceeded to Braintree, where it was found necessary to spend another half hour shifting engines.

"The South Shore trains were noted for their prompt arrivals several years ago. That was when the engines were new. It is apparent that the engines used at present on this line are either discarded from other lines or at least have outgrown their usefulness as passenger carriers. They would not be tolerated in any other part of the country."

HUB DELEGATES GOING TO RED CROSS MEET

Delegates representing the headquarters office in Boston and several of the chapters of the New England division, American Red Cross, will attend the two-day conference of delegates from Red Cross chapters all over the United States, to be held in Washington, D. C., on Monday and Tuesday of the coming week, preceding the annual meeting of the governing board of the American Red Cross, which is called for next Wednesday afternoon. Arthur G. Rotch, manager, and Miss Lavinia H. Newell, director of auxiliary service of the New England division, will represent the division as a whole.

WOMEN'S CLUB TABOOES SMOKES AND CUSPIDORS

Bridgeport, Ct., Dec. 4.—After much acrimonious discussion in which it was charged that smoking was a display of "low-down propensities," while the devotees of the weed contended that "smoking makes a woman neither a high brow nor a low brow," the Bridgeport Business and Professional Women's Club, numbering 1,000 members, has banned cigarettes and squelched a large number of members who wanted gold mounted cuspidors and be-ribboned ash trays installed.

COLBY OFF ON TRIP TO SOUTH AMERICA

Washington, Dec. 4.—The official flag of the Secretary of State was raised for the first time on any staff when members of the governing board of the Pan-American Union escorted Secretary Colby aboard the presidential yacht Mayflower on the start of his voyage to South America. Before Secretary Colby's departure members of the board and Latin-American diplomats gathered at the Pan-American building to bid him good-bye.

WOULD ADD $240 TO TEACHERS' SALARIES

An increase of $240 in the minimum salary of school teachers in the smaller towns of the State is recommended to the Legislature by the State Department of Education. Payson Smith, commissioner of education, says the proposed increase from the present minimum of $560 to $800 is necessary if the communities are to secure qualified teachers.

JANITOR IS SCALDED BY ESCAPING STEAM

Richard S. Wentworth, aged sixty-nine, of No. 68 Bartlett street, Roxbury, was severely scalded about both feet at the Hotel Eliot, No. 70 Bartlett street, where he is employed as a janitor. He was attempting to turn off steam which was escaping from a broken pipe when he was injured. He was taken to the City Hospital.

JEWS TO CAMPAIGN AGAINST BLUE SUNDAY

The Jewish Sabbath Alliance of America, at a meeting in New York, agreed upon waging a strong and energetic campaign against the promoters of the Sunday blue laws. According to resolutions adopted, the campaign will be waged through the newspapers, mass meetings and general propaganda.

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New Pastor in Roxbury

The Rev. Selden W. Cummings of Pasadena, Cal., today accepted the pastorate of the Ruggles Street Baptist Church, Roxbury, and telegraphed his acceptance to the congregation.

REED HITS ANY TYPE OF LEAGUE

Association of Nations, Has Evils of Wilson Pact, Says Missouri Senator

Washington, Dec. 4.—Not only will the United States refuse to enter a League of Nations, no matter what concessions are made, but Senate irreconcilables headed by Senators Borah of Idaho and Reed of Missouri are equally determined that it shall not participate in an association of nations of any kind whatever.

The suggestion accredited to former President Taft that an American commission should be sent to Geneva for a conference on amendments to the League covenant is particularly obnoxious to them. This is shown conclusively in the following article written especially for Universal Service.

By JAMES A. REED,

United States Senator from Missouri.

The American people, by the most decisive vote ever given by any great nation, have repudiated the League of Nations, lock, stock and barrel. Nobody but a man who is blind, deaf and intellectually paralyzed can fail to understand the result of this election. The people are in favor of preserving the ancient policies of the government; they are determined that we shall keep free from the crooked diplomacies and crooked plottings of European and Asiatic monarchs.

The politician found as he proceeded with his campaign that the people were not "reservationists"; that they were not internationalists but nationalists, and they wrote the word in capital letters.

The people have common sense, an attribute not possessed to any marked degree by those who follow dreams and visions. The people have sense enough to know that if we intermeddle in controversies of European powers we will soon become a part to those controversies; that we will incur the ill-will of one or all of the parties participant, and that at any moment we may be called upon to back our decisions with force.

It seems to me that it is about time for Taft, the Carnegie pensioner, to retire from the ring. He carried two States when he ran the second time for President. He evidently thought there was a comeback in him and again trained for another contest, this time as the champion of the league of force. Before the battle was half over, he was so groggy that he was half the time in the wrong corner. He entered himself as in favor of the league of force. He wore the Wilson colors all over him, and that is saying a good deal.

A little later, perspiring at every pore and heaving sighs of agony, he declared that he was willing to throw up the sponge and accept Harding's very hard terms, that he would have no league at all, but that he might be willing to get together with the nations and talk over matters in a sort of family confab.

The only reason there is a continual hubbub about a League of some kind is to be found in the fact that the big Morgan house and other financial interests which have invested heavily in European securities want those securities guaranteed by the power, the majesty, the money and the blood of this nation. They will never get it.

WILSON DISTRESSED BY DR. COUGHLIN'S DEATH

Washington, Dec. 4.—President Wilson sent the following letter of condolence to Miss Helen Coughlin, sister of Dr. John W. Coughlin, for twelve years member of the Democratic National Committee for Massachusetts, who died at Fall River:

"Allow me to say with what sincere distress I have heard of the death of your brother, Dr. Coughlin, who was a true and valued friend of mine and, I always believe, a conscientious and most serviceable public servant. We shall all miss him sadly."

Fall River, Dec. 4.—The funeral of the late Dr. John W. Coughlin will take place Monday morning when a solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated at 10 o'clock at the Church of the Sacred Heart.

BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL WANTS FUND OF $30,000

Boston City Hospital needs $30,000 to carry on its social-medical work, and today announcement was made of the opening of a campaign to raise that sum. The money is required to train workers and to enable those already trained to keep up the work. Contributions are to be sent to William C. Endicott, treasurer of the hospital.

Mrs. George H. Monks of Commonwealth avenue is chairman of the committee in charge of the drive.

UNEMPLOYMENT MENACE TO NEW BEDFORD GIRLS

New Bedford, Dec. 4.—With thousands of young girls, many of them compelled to earn their own living, thrown out of work by the closing of the textile mills here, the police and welfare agencies fear and are preparing to combat the activities of "white slavers" here. Following revelations by Yvonne Carron, fourteen years old, the daughter of Mrs. Delia Carron of North Front street, Frank Amaral of Purchase street has been arrested on statutory charges, and the police are investigating several similar cases.

SUFFOLK LAW SCHOOL TO GIVE 23 SCHOLARSHIPS

The Suffolk Law School announces that it is offering twenty-three free scholarships, one for each $1,000 invested in a second mortgage bond, as a share in the success of its new building on Derne street, opposite the State House. These scholarships are existent throughout the period of the bonds, which run from 1926 to 1931, and may be obtained either by a personal investment for one's self or in the interests of another.

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To Elect Officers

Benjamin Franklin Branch, Friends of Irish Freedom, will hold its regular meeting on December 6 at the Columbus bungalow, Roslindale. As the election of officers will take place only members of the branch will be admitted.

BOSTON, AS USUAL, PAYS MOST

Read the following table of egg prices in various parts of the country. And remember that there is the same difference between Boston prices and other prices on cold storage eggs as on the blue ribbon variety marked "strictly fresh"

☛ Boston	$1.30 a dozen
Richmond, Va.	75c to 80c
Philadelphia	70c to $1.00
Atlanta	82c to 88c
Chicago	80c to 90c
Cincinnati	85c
New York	85c to $1.20 According to Locality
Buffalo	90c
Washington	90c
Baltimore	90c
Pittsburgh	$1.10
Milwaukee	61c to 85c
St. Louis	65c to 90c
Albany	65c to $1.15
San Francisco	66c to 84c

Here are the prices people are paying per quart for Grade A milk in some leading American cities:

☛ Boston	18 cents
Milwaukee	11 cents With another drop promised.
Philadelphia	13 cents
Chicago	14 cents
Cincinnati	15 cents
Baltimore	15 cents
Albany	15 and 16 cents
St. Louis	16 cents
Pittsburgh	16 cents
Buffalo	16 cents
Richmond, Va.	17 cents
New York	18 cents
Washington, D.C.	18 cents
Atlanta, Ga.	25 cents
San Francisco	16 cents

It will be noted that only far-away Atlanta, centred in a non-dairying country, pays more for its milk than Boston, but a few miles from the producer. But, as shown by the 10½ cents the producer gets and the 18 cents the consumer pays, they are miles and miles apart.

BROCKTON ASKS CURB ON PRICES

City Government Calls on Congress to Come to Rescue of Coal Consumers

Brockton city government has addressed a unique petition to Congress demanding relief from the plague of the coal profiteers.

The petition was passed unanimously by the Aldermen and the Common Council, and signed by Mayor Gleason. A copy will be sent to every Congressman.

The remarkable document declares the situation in Brockton is rapidly becoming desperate, with many of the very poor unable to buy coal at present exorbitant rates.

Hard coal is retailing at from $18 to $25 in Brockton and the petitioners charge that there is no explanation except that gross profiteering is being carried on.

Three laws are tentatively suggested. They would do much to relieve the situation, Brockton government heads believe. Here are the three suggestions:

1—Give the Interstate Commerce Commission the same power over the coal industry it now exercises over railroads—power to fix prices, make rules for distribution and so forth.

2—Give authorized agents of towns, cities and States the right to use the records of the Interstate Commerce Commission when such records bear on coal problems in their communities.

3—Sell no coal abroad until America's needs are taken care of. In the sale and shipment of coal at the mines and elsewhere, orders from consumers and dealers selling directly to consumers shall take precedence over all others. The wholesale price of coal sold through a broker or agent shall in no case be more than twenty cents a ton in advance of the base price at the mine, plus the transportation cost.

Splinters Raise Havoc With Pupils' Clothes

Pantaloons torn and dresses badly snagged by splintered seats at the Perkins School, on Cumberland street, Back Bay, have so aroused the parents of the wearers of the said torn trousers and ragged dresses that they have at last stirred the school authorities to action.

A carpenter has got busy with a jack plane, sandpaper and varnish. He is going to make those seats smooth if it takes all Winter, declares Frederick H. Ripley, master of the Prince District.

Everett Montague of No. 1111 Boylston street is a fair sample of the victims of the splinters. He's worn through three pairs of perfectly good pants in three months and all exactly in the same place, according to his mother, Mrs. John Q. Montague.

"With suits costing $30 each, that means $90 gone because the school authorities have ignored conditions, despite our protests," said Mrs. Montague.

"We've had complaints of those seats for three years or more," said Mr. Ripley. "Of course, we notified the School Committee, but that body did nothing. In the Winter the teachers and those in charge tell us the matter will have to wait until the Summer vacation. Then it would be forgotten.

"This time the work of smoothing the seats is going to keep right on until there's not a splinter left."

ROW ENDS WHEN LIGHTS GO OUT

Dorchester Tax Argument Almost Reaches Fighting Stage —Mayor Is Condemned

A heated argument between Jacob Levovitch, first assistant assessor, and a number of Dorchester citizens, in which the contestants almost came to blows, featured a tax discrimination protest meeting in the Dorchester High School.

The parties to the controversy adjourned to the street when the janitor turned out the hall lights, and were then driven home by the rain.

Mayor Peters was condemned for failure to attend the meeting, a letter from him being read in which he advised the protestants to take their troubles to the assessors or go to law.

The meeting was held under the auspices of the ten Dorchester improvement associations and the Dorchester Board of Trade, with Thomas Leavitt, president of the Dorchester Centre Improvement Association, presiding.

A motion was made by Kenneth McDonald, and accepted, that another meeting be held Wednesday night at the same place, at which candidates for the City Council be questioned by the citizens.

Cornelius Desmond was applauded by the 500 or more present when he said that the Mayor found time to go to Maine at frequent intervals and was willing to visit Dorchester when a candidate.

William J. Paul quoted figures to prove his contention that Dorchester was discriminated against in the matter of valuations. Paul repeated the charge made at a former meeting that sixty-seven men, including Mayor Peters, controlled, as trustees or otherwise, the heart of downtown Boston. He gave a number of alleged instances of depreciation in valuations of downtown property, including buildings on Chatham street, Dock square, School, Avon, Summer streets and Atlantic avenue.

A number of citizens began to question Levovitch about methods of assessing valuation. Levovitch refused to give any information, and attacked Paul as having described the matter as from his own point of view. A throng gathered about the assessor, arms were waved and voices raised, with threats and epithets hurled back and forth.

ITALIAN DEPUTIES MAY ACT IN PAYROLL MURDER

Cable advices received from Rome by the Sacco-Vanzetti Defence Committee here say that the prosecution of Niccola Sacco and Bartolomew Vanzetti for the South Braintree payroll murder of April 15 has been brought to the attention of members of the Chamber of Deputies, and that it is expected the American State Department will be asked to investigate the case. Sacco and Vanzetti are citizens of Italy. Morris Gebelow, a New York newspaper man, informed the deputies that Sacco and Vanzetti were miles away from the crime-scene when the murder was committed. The two men were held, he said, mainly on the testimony of persons who saw "two foreign looking men" on the scene.

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AUTOIST ARRESTED AFTER INJURED MAN'S DEATH

On a warrant charging manslaughter Oscar Emond, aged thirty-six, of No. 59 Hancock street, Atlantic, was arrested by Sergeant Daniel Hines and Special Officer John J. Gale of the Field's Corner police. It is alleged that Emond, while driving his automobile through King square, Dorchester, Wednesday, struck and knocked down James Sullivan, aged sixty, of No. 58 Samoset street, causing injuries from which he died at the City Hospital.

Here Are Postmaster Baker's Xmas Don'ts

Postmaster Roland M. Baker has issued the following "don'ts" for mailing Christmas packages. They begin and end with:

"Don't delay until the last moment before mailing your package."

The others are:

"Don't place decorations on the address side of the Xmas package."

"Don't sacrifice durability for daintiness."

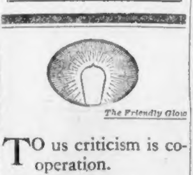
"Don't use tissue paper for outside wrapping."

"Don't depend on ribbon for holding packages."

"Don't lose patience if delayed at mailing window."

The greater distance your package has to travel the earlier it should be posted. For the Pacific coast parcels should be mailed December 10, for Middle Western States December 15, for the Southern States December 15, and for New York, Pennsylvania and adjoining States December 20.

An extra staff has been engaged to handle the flood of mail.



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ROXBURY WOMAN DIES; RUN DOWN BY AUTOIST

Mrs. Sophie Mack, sixty-two years old, of No. 7 Vancouver street, Roxbury, died in the Peter Brent Brigham Hospital, Roxbury, from injuries received when run down by an automobile driven by Frank Imhof of Ashley street. Imhof stopped his car, and carried the injured woman to the hospital.

A LIST OF CHURCHES THAT EXTEND A HAND OF FELLOWSHIP TO YOU

BAPTIST

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Melrose—Cantata, "Song of Praise," by Frederick N. Shackley. On Sunday evening, December 5, the quartet and chorus of the church will give this cantata composed by our own organist and director. Special instrumental numbers for organ and piano will also be given. Soloists: Miss Mildred Hedgman, soprano, Mrs. E. Frances Harrington, alto; Oliver P. Black, tenor; Chester S. McKinley, baritone.

TREMONT TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH—The largest church in New England. "Strangers' Sabbath Home." Chancellor James R. Day, the head of Syracuse University, will preach at both services. Preacher, educator and author, a man of national fame, much criticized and much loved. Lotus Male Quartet; Mrs. Lamson, soprano; violinist; cornetists; Temple Chorus. Doors open at 10:00 a. m. and 6:45 p. m.

BIBLE STUDENTS

International Bible Students' Association

BIBLE LECTURES every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in **STEINERT HALL**, 162 Boylston st., Boston. **PASTOR J. H. SONNTAG** will lecture tomorrow (Dec. 5) on

SATAN

His Origin, Personality and Destiny

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CHRISTADELPHIANS

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The Valley of Dry Bones

CHRISTADELPHIANS, Elks Bldg., Magazine st., near Central Sq., Cambridge at 11 o'clock. Free, no collection.

EVENING LECTURE

Zionism a Sign of His Coming Kingdom

Franklin Hall, Codman Sq., Dorchester, at 7:30 o'clock. All welcome. Free.

CONGREGATIONAL

CENTRAL CHURCH (Cong.) Berkeley and Newbury sts.—Service 10:30 a. m., 7:45 p. m. All welcome.

EPISCOPAL

THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST. PAUL. Sunday, 8 a. m., Holy Communion, 9 a. m., Corporate Communion of Harvard students, 10 a. m., Morning Prayer, 11 a. m., Sermon and Holy Communion. Preacher, Dean Rousmaniere. 4 p. m., Afternoon Service, Preacher, Rev. M. [illegible] Huntington. 7:15 [illegible] of Hymns. 7:30 p. m., Evening Service. Preacher, Rev. Donald B. Aldrich. Subject "The Point of View." Every Weekday—[illegible] m., Holy Communion, 12:10 p. m., Noon Service. Thursday—11 a. m., Holy Communion. 5 p. m., Class in Personal Religion, Led by Rev. Charles Morris Addison, D. D. Friday—11 a. m., The Dean's Class in Personal Religion. Subject: "The Hallowing of Memory."

TRINITY CHURCH, Newton Centre, near corner of Commonwealth av. and Centre st. Seven minutes by trolley beyond Lake st. Rev. Edward T. Sullivan, rector. Morning service and Holy Communion, 10:45. Preacher, the rector. Subject: "Our Motive Power, or the Power of Our Motives." Special Sunday night service, 7:15. Preacher, the rector. Subject: "The Tragedy of the Delayed Start."

LUTHERAN

ST. MARK'S (English), 29 Winthrop St., Roxbury, Rev. E. L. Miller, Pastor—Morning service at 10:30. Sermon by the pastor. Sunday school at 11:45 A. M. No evening service. All welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL

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CHURCH OF ALL NATIONS

MORGAN MEMORIAL, 81 Shawmut av., Sunday, 10:30 a. m. Address, Mr. James H. Causey, of Denver, Col., subject "The Church for the New Day"; 12 o'clock men's class, address, David D. Vaughan, Seavey Hall; 3:30 forum, Emmons Hall, address, Mr. Geo. LeBarr; 6 o'clock Epworth League Hope Chapel Hall, address, Col. Scott, subject "The Near East"; 7:30, sermon Dr. Adolphus Linfield; Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 7, 8 and 9, from 2 p. m. to 10 p. m., bazaar, church and industrial buildings, 79-89 Shawmut av.; aid of work of the Morgan Memorial.

SPIRITUALISTS

MME. PALFREYMAN, 43 Falmouth st., city, hours 10 to 5, evenings by appointment. [illegible] 8108.

MME. LOUISE, psychic and healer, meetings Sunday, 7:30; private readings and treatments daily. 388½ Tremont st.

MRS. MARRINER, 5 Dale st., Roxbury. Circles Sun., Thurs., 3 p. m. Readings daily. Tel. 8003-W.

MME. P. WYMAN, gifted spiritualist medium. Readings day or evening. 15 Woodbine st., Roxbury; tel. 6958-M.

MISS ZITA gives readings daily, 10 to 5. Head Bldg., 181 Tremont st.

MRS. KAMPE—Meetings Tuesday, Friday, Sunday, 7:30; readings daily. 100 Roxbury st.

MRS. ALEXANDER, psychic readings daily. 2 Cortes st.; welcome.

MRS. MARSH, medium, gives readings daily, 9 Dover st., near Tremont st.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

THE FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST (The Mother Church), Falmouth, Norway and St. Paul sts., Boston, Mass. Sunday services, 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject of the lesson sermon "God the Only Cause and Creator." Sunday School, 10:45 a. m. Testimonial meeting every Wednesday evening, 7:30.

UNITARIAN

UNITY HOUSE

ON SUNDAY evening, December 5, will be held the fifth of the present series of meetings devoted to religion and good citizenship. Theodore G. Soares, D.D., of the University of Chicago, will speak upon "The Spirit of Comradeship."

The Laymen's League chorus will sing, "Praise Ye the Father," Gounod, and "Discovery," Grieg. The Boston Symphony Orchestra quintet will play, "Serenade" Op. 8, Beethoven, "Fantasia" from "Lucia di Lammermoor," Donizetti, "Song Without Words," Tschaikowsky, "Adagietto" from "L'Arlesienne," Bizet, and "Coronation March" from "The Prophet," Meyerbeer.

The meeting will begin promptly at 7:45. The hall will be open at 7:00, and the quintet will play the first two of the above numbers prior to the beginning of the regular program.

A welcome for all.

KING'S CHAPEL

TREMONT-SCHOOL STS.—Unitarian; Minister Howard N. Brown, D.D., will preach morning service at 10:45 a. m., followed by communion; open daily 9 to 12; noon service at 12. Chorus choir of male voices.

SECOND UNITARIAN MEETING HOUSE, Coolidge Corner, 11 a. m., service, all are cordially invited.

SOUTH CONGREGATIONAL SOCIETY, Edward Everett Hale's Church, Newbury st., 10 a. m. All welcome.

UNIVERSALIST

PORTER SQUARE UNIVERSALIST Cambridge, Rev. Lucius R. Paige, minister. 10:30 a. m., "The Lad, the Loaves and the Fishes." 7 p. m., Young People's Meeting. Everyone welcome.

GROVE HALL UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—78 Washington, cor. Wilder st., Dorchester; welcome.

MISCELLANEOUS

THE COMMONS

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Sundays at 11

Subject: "ANTI-SEMITISM and Other Organized Hatred a Crime Against America." All welcome always.

COMMUNITY CHURCH

STEINERT HALL, 162 Boylston st. — Dr. George Chalmers Richmond will speak Sunday, Dec. 5, at 11 a. m., on "The Dangers of Being a Christian in a Time Like This." Musical program, 10:45.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS—"Mormons." Hold semi-annual conference, Sunday, Dec. 5, 1920, 1:45 p. m., Huntington Chambers, Room 222. All welcome. No collection.

WORKERS' INTERNATIONAL INDUSTRIAL UNION—Public meetings held at 63 Shawmut av. Subject, "Unemployment and the Reasons Why."

SOCIALIST LABOR PARTY, 63 Shawmut av.—Saturday night, 8 p. m., smoke talk, discussion of the Third International.

FORUM

OLD SOUTH MEETINGS

OLD SOUTH MEETING HOUSE, Milk and Washington sts.—Norman Hapgood of New York will discuss

"Recovering the Freedom of the Press"

Sunday afternoon at 3:15. Concert by Olive Nevin, soprano; doors at 2:45; everbody welcome, free.

Common Cause Forum

FRANKLIN UNION, Sunday, 3 p. m.

MRS. FRANK C. SCANLAN

President, Margaret Brent Suffrage League,

"Catholic Women in Civic Life"

Platform discussion invited. Admission free.

BROTHERHOOD FORUM

EMMONS HALL, Shawmut ave. and Corning st.—Sunday, 3:30 p. m., Dec. 5, George H. LeBarr

"THE PSYCHOLOGY OF THE RUSSIAN AS THE KEY TO BOLSHEVISM."

FORD HALL MEETINGS, Ford Hall, opposite State House park—Bishop Francis J. McConnell, chairman of the Interchurch Commission, which investigated the steel strike, speaks Sunday eve., 7:30 on "The Church and Labor." Concert by Olive Nevin, soprano. Questions. George W. Coleman, presiding. Silver collection at door.

Y. M. C. A.

YOUNG MEN'S FORUM

Sunday at 3:30 p. m., 316 Huntington avenue. Speaker, Rev. E. Deer, executive secretary, Church Federation, Dayton, Ohio. Subject,

"Single Handed or Together."

Music—Social Hour—Refreshments. Spend a pleasant Sunday afternoon.

GIRL IN HAMON MURDER WARNS OF LOVE'S PITFALLS IN DIARY

LOST FIGHT AGAINST WEDDED MAN'S HONEYED PROMISES

Clara Barton Smith Hamon, the girl accused of shooting Jake Hamon, Republican national committeeman from Oklahoma, and who is being sought on the Mexican border, left a remarkable document warning other girls of the perils into which she fell, and telling of her "fight with the demon." Her diary points one of the strongest morals for girls ever published. Universal Service has secured the right to publish this remarkable document from the Chicago Herald and Examiner, which holds the copyright.

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Isn't it odd how little
Life's big moments can be
And how big the little
Moments sometimes seem?
How long is a plate of spaghetti?
What becomes of the wool in the hole of a sock?

March 9, 1920—Arrived Ardmore 3:30 a. m. A little sleepy and tired and—but must not think too much and analyze. Why not take what comes without comment for a while—for a change? Thinking, thinking; always uncertain of what is to come or what I shall do when I can think sensibly no more. I wonder—

March 10, 1920—Mr. McDonald had dinner with us; then we went to the automobile show. Only stayed few minutes. Read until 12, then to bed, just to keep my mind undisturbed and to live away some time.

March 11, 1920—Beautiful Spring day. Ride in afternoon to Wilson; was miserable. Very unhappy. Quarrelled all evening. Not a very agreeable companion, but not inclined to improve when I have reason to be quite unhappy. Oh, to be happy again!

April 12, 1920—Out to Wilson on 7 a. m. train. Spent day visiting. In afternoon we went out to town site sale. My sister bought some lots. I bought twelve lots. The Colonel came for me at 9:15 and we drove back to Ardmore. It was rather a silent trip, but the day was lovely and I enjoyed it and felt rather freshened up, physically and mentally.

April 13.—Started early for Duncan Field. Was a beautiful day and we enjoyed the ride. Bought oil property at court sale in Duncan at 2 o'clock, then drove to Cement, where we stayed all night. **It is a blithe little life.**

April 14.—Started at 9:30 for Waler's. Lunch there. Had my first drink of corn whiskey. It had a kick like an elephant. Left for Oklahoma City. Very, very tired. Tireder than I can bear to be. Tired, not more from exhaustion than from disgust with my life.

April 15.—I spent morning in beauty parlor. Entered a lady; exit a creature of beauty.

April 16.—Slept late. Uneventful day—rested all day. Dinner in eve with Mr. Blake and car ride over town. Car splendid and town looking well. Day of enjoyment. Feeling rather decent these days and not very angry about things.

April 17.—The 17th is usually my unlucky day, but this one has been very good. Had a bad headache but kept busy. **The greatest safeguard in the world is to be busy.** I long to be busy, but do not know how to get busy. Few drinks with the colonel and Charles Whittington, then dinner, including Mr. Disney—added Mr. McDonald and Mr. Asp and went for a little ride. Nice enough time, but thinking, wondering, doubting, home, exhausted.

Is Made Sick by Drinking Corn Whiskey

April 18.—Went for a ride in afternoon with bunch. They made me cheer up by telling me I looked splendid and seemed so sure of myself. Rot! Had a few drinks of "corn." It made me sick. We drove up to Berwyn. It was a pretty road and Spring beauty was everywhere. **Nature needs no whiskey to aid it. It would have been happy but for the "nip."**

April 19.—Left on Ringling train at 7. Feel good today. The train was late into Fort Worth. Had to stay overnight there, as I missed my train out to Ranger, as usual. It was a beautiful cool night and I found peace and rest in the only haven I know—sleep.

May 12. Got up with a vague sense of trouble coming—and it came about 3:30 in the afternoon. What transpired from then until 5:30 shall ever remain a nightmare in memory to me, and will go down in my mind's history as one of the most terrible experiences of my entire life. In the form of a man there was a demon who tried to frighten and terrorize me, and, although my life hung by a slender thread, I am glad to remember that **I did not show the slightest weakness, and at some future time, should I be found stabbed or choked or beaten to death, I want the world to know I made a clean, good fight for my rights and that I have never been a coward or a sneak, as guilty of unfair play.** Although I have dealt with a cunning, tricky devil when my ship or happiness goes down, it will go down with colors flying. Before another day passes and ere my life is taken I want to leave this word of warning to any other girl or woman who may be ready to embark upon the sea of companionship with a man.

"Let My Crushed Hopes Be Warning"

Let my poor, sad, broken heart—crushed hopes and blighted life—be a warning.

Know your man before you give him your soul, and, when I say "know him," I mean not only know the good and sunny side—the sugar-coated side, the pretentious, flattering, false side—but know the side that is not at its best.

Know the side the world fails even to see.

Know the side that comes to life only in the presence "of four walls and you."

Know him at his worst, not his best, before you sell your soul and become ever afterwards his slave. For once you give it to him you can never get it back again—no matter how hard you try.

A woman only has power—real power—once with a man, and that is when she is madly in love and wants all she's got to give.

Once given, the charm is broken—for him the battle is won.

This is not justice, but it is a tradition as old as civilization and in spite of the light that is coming—(not yet come)—it remains a cold-blooded fact at this time 1920.

Women fit their lives to men; men never fit theirs to women.

I do not wish to be misconstrued as meaning that I think all men are bad and wrong. Far from it. But it has been my misfortune to give all I had to give to a man—a living devil—(regardless of what the people may say)—before I knew that I had cast my lot astray.

Fate says to us "take this road or that." We are always far along the road before we know which road it is.

Even then we might turn back (in some sense of the word) but we don't—not so often as we keep right on to see what is waiting just around the corner.

"Deceived Me From Beginning," She Says

I swear here, before the All-Knowing God, that I would never have become his sweetheart if he had not told—again and again—that he was going to get his divorce, anyway, and he promised faithfully to marry me.

He lied to me. He deceived me from the beginning, deliberately. He held out every possible alluring picture for a wonderful future for me until he had entrapped me in a net from which I could not extricate myself.

The world may ask why I have never quit. I had given my all—ten of the choicest years of my life—my youth, health and beauty. What would I have to gain now if I quit? No. **I shall keep on until I am killed or die, hanging on to the vague hope that some day he may see the light and give me a new start in life.**

Some years ago I tried to quit—before all my dreams of life's golden treasure were shattered—but he wouldn't let me.

He ran after me, and brought me back with new promises to do the right thing by me, only to break them and to crush my soul again. He was still not satisfied—he had applied the hot iron to me many times, but he had not yet burned me up alive.

The oil of his soul that fed the flames of desire for cruelty must exhaust itself and I was doomed to be the victim.

Business and all other interests were burned into nothingness until he had accomplished his aim in bringing me back and then running my life.

He is not alone of his type, but I doubt if the world holds many that are quite as heartless as he.

I can hear the public say: "Those who brutally murder are worse."

But I don't believe God thinks so, for he would have murdered me physically besides murdering my soul many times if he could have covered it up and shielded himself, but he has been too cowardly to do it with a fair chance to us both.

Calls Man Worse Than Dumb Animals

Education, culture, all that is supposed to lift a man above the level of the beasts are used by him to prevent his own nature that he is able to descend to bestial depths that the dumb animals themselves are unable or incapable of reaching. In what he calls "love." He is insane—as many others are. The methods of securing the object of their desires vary, but the motive that prompts is the same—the end sought is identical.

Murder has no place in his insanity—taking life is abhorrent to him, but to destroy innocence—to kill virtue—to murder a soul—those are common to him and his type.

May 27—Left Cisco at 8:50; pleasant ride to Purcell? Late an hour into Ardmore. Phyllis met me, went to room and had delicious lunch which Francis fixed for me. Got shampoo and did some shopping. Raining, and I was very, very lonely. The clouds were hanging heavy for me and my room seemed depressing. After dinner we went to room for bath and rest, while Phyl went to show.

I sure did wish for some one and was fortunate to be extremely tired, so could sleep before leaving at 12:27.

May 29.—All day on train, except one hour at Albuquerque, N. M. It was a night for "dreams" of lovers and I was dreaming, but have no lover.

THINKING.

If you think that you are beaten,
If your soul with gall is eaten,
You are wrong!
There's a way, and never doubt it,
So be brave and go about it,
With a song.
If a lover wins and wants you,
If his mem'ry ever haunts you,
Keep him long.
For if life be worth the living,
Two must constantly be giving,
Else it's wrong.
So be neither mean nor foolish,
For the hand of fate is ghoulish,
Live along!

(This human document will be continued Monday.)

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Bishop Nuesa to Speak

Bishop John L. Nuesa of the Methodist Episcopal Church of the Europe area will speak in the Amory street Methodist Episcopal Church Sunday at 10:30 a. m. The bishop will speak on the "Present Conditions in Central Europe."

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SECRETARY

Miss Adeline Pfleghaar of Brookline, youngest national secretary of religious organizations in the United States.

The youngest national secretary of any religious organization in the United States is a Brookline girl, Miss Adeline Pfleghaar, who at nineteen is secretary of the Young People's Religious Union of the Unitarian Church. Miss Pfleghaar is in charge of organization and field work in a district extending all the way from Boston to the Pacific.

Similar in aims to the Y. P. S. C. E. and young people's organizations in other denominations, the Young People's Religious Union of the Unitarian Church was organized in 1896. It succeeded the National Bureau of Unity Clubs, organized in 1887, and the National Guild Alliance of 1889.

One year ago the society had one paid secretary and no organizers, with the result that only one in every five Unitarian churches had a Young People's Religious Union. Under the direction of Miss Pfleghaar the Union has been built up to such an extent that today there are offices in Boston, Chicago and San Francisco, three full-time secretaries and more than two hundred organizations.

At present in charge of the Chicago office, Miss Pfleghaar will return to Boston in time for Young People's Week, January 23-30, which will be marked by the elaborate production of a new play to be given at four places in Metropolitan Boston. The week will close with a Young People's Sunday.

NIVELLE GIVES FRENCH ORDER

Dr. J. H. Franklin, Head of Baptist Foreign Mission Board, Honored

General Robert Georges Nivelle, former commander-in-chief of the French armies, began his second strenuous day in Boston this morning with a visit to Ford Hall, where the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America is holding a three-day conference.

The General's special mission there was to confer upon Dr. J. H. Franklin, head of the Baptist Board of Foreign Missions, the order of the French Legion of Honor, creating Dr. Franklin a chevalier for his services to France and humanity during the World War.

Dr. Franklin was not present and the presentation was made to Charles H. Macfarland, general secretary of the Federation, in his behalf.

"I am happy to tell you," said the General, speaking in English, "that France is doing her duty as well in peace as she did in war.

"I also want to assure you that no words of any Frenchman can convey to you Americans our sense of gratitude to this country for the care she has given the million and a half French war orphans. It is a thing that cannot be spoken of save in stilled tones, but France will never forget."

General Nivelle and his party then went to the home of Mrs. Larz Anderson, widow of Former Ambassador Larz Anderson, in Brookline, where he was the guest at a reception. He conveyed to Mrs. Anderson the thanks of his government and country for her wartime activity for the allied cause.

From the Anderson home the Frenchmen went to the Chilton Club for luncheon, after which the general retired to his room at the Copley-Plaza Hotel to rest until time to catch his train for New York this evening.

FR. COUGHLAN'S FUNERAL IN WATERTOWN MONDAY

Funeral services for the Rev. Thomas W. Coughlan, pastor of the Church of the Sacred Heart, Watertown, who died on Thursday evening at the home of his sister and brothers at Abington, will be held in the church on Monday morning.

A solemn high requiem mass will be celebrated at 10 o'clock, with the Rev. John A. Daley, pastor of St. Mark's Church, Ashmont, as celebrant. It is expected that Cardinal O'Connell will preside at the mass and pronounce the final absolution.

CHELSEA ELKS HOLD MEMORIAL ON SUNDAY

The Chelsea Lodge of Elks will hold memorial exercises at their home in Chelsea, Sunday afternoon. Judge Thomas H. Dowd, past exalted ruler of the Boston Lodge of Elks will deliver an address with a prelude by Charles Freedman, to be followed with remarks by Albert Whittaker, exalted ruler, Benjamin Nicholls and other officers of the lodge. The memorial day committee are Joseph M. Riley, P. E. R.; Wallace C. Lee, P. E. R.; Donald Hastings, E. L. K.; Benjamin Nicholls, chaplain, and Bernard Berman.

Kipling Wins $8 Award in "Ad" Suit

London, Dec. 4. — Advertisers must not use unauthorized extracts from literary works in order to boost their wares, according to a judgment of a London court today. The judgment was obtained by Rudyard Kipling, who was given an injunction restraining owners of the patent medicine "Genatosan" from publishing an excerpt from his poem. Damages of $8 were awarded to the poet.

'GOO GOOS' FLAY MORIARTY

Favor Hagan, Lane and Kinney; Council Slate Is Announced

The Good Government Association recommended the re-election of City Councillors Henry E. Hagan and Daniel W. Lane, and the election of Fred P. Kinney, a Jamaica Plain manufacturer, in a statement today in which they severely scored President James T. Moriarty for his part in the police strike and advised his defeat.

With the exception of Moriarty and the candidates endorsed, the "Goo-Goos" dismissed the remaining candidates with a line or two. But on Moriarty, president of this year's city council and seeking to succeed himself, they concentrated their fire, saying:

"His mischievous agitation in favor of unionizing the police department, and his advocacy of a general strike to secure that end, did much to bring about and to aggravate the most unfortunate and dangerous situation which Boston has faced during the last fifty years."

Moriarty's attitude toward progressive measures is termed "suspicious hostility" in the statement, which continues:

"Even more recently his opposition to the site for a new police station, selected by the Mayor and the police commissioner, afforded a further example of obstructive tendencies and lack of regard for the public interest."

Moriarty's career is termed a disappointment to his friends and his record in the Council a poor one.

Former Councillor Daniel J. McDonald also receives some attention. His attitude toward good government is undependable and he has "outlived his usefulness in the Council," according to the G. G. A.

Hagan and Lane are praised for their progressive records, and Kinney is considered "a business man of a type rarely found in the list of candidates." Secretary George H. McCaffrey of the executive committee is sending out the Goo-Goo pamphlets, containing records and comment upon the candidates.

Mayor Childs to Speak

Mayor Edwin O. Childs of Newton will deliver the principal address at the annual memorial exercises of the Brookline Lodge of Elks Sunday night in Gardner Hall, Brookline.

Brandy Is "O. K." for the Plum Pudding

By International News Service.

Washington, Dec. 4.—"If you have brandy, season the plum pudding or mincemeat, and make the holidays festive and gay. Go ahead with your Christmas plans, drawing as heavily upon the 'private stock' as demands may warrant. But I wouldn't advise trying to buy brandy for culinary purposes. It can't be done easily."

This brief advice to housewives from John F. Kramer, dry law chief, was given to refute erroneous reports that "dry" officers looked disapprovingly upon Yuletide delicacies with an exhilarating punch.

"No move has been made to seize stocks of brandied cherries or other preserved fruits on shelves of retail grocers or others," Kramer said.

"No such move will be made. Manufacturers are permitted by us to use brandy in making certain food products. Such products are sold to dealers who resell them without permit. No step will be taken to interfere with legitimate business of this character."

Kramer said the ban was still on against purchase of brandy and similar intoxicants by restaurants and hotels. No regulation in force at this time allows housewives to buy brandy for home cooking.

"Well, how about it, if a fellow saunters out and gets little liquor to spread over the fruitcake?" Kramer was asked.

"Well, they say it can be done," Kramer admitted. "But not legally."

He also allowed he had his hands full to prevent the Christmas rush.

RUNAWAY HORSE KILLS HERO

Ernest N. Stanchfield, 43 of Peabody Tries to Save Pedestrians From Death

Ernest N. Stanchfield, aged forty-three, of No. 1 Proctor street, Peabody, gave his life to save several persons from being crushed to death under the hoofs of a runaway horse in Peabody.

Stanchfield, who was knocked into the gutter while trying to reach the horse's head, died in the Thomas Hospital, Peabody, from a fractured skull two hours after the accident.

The horse, attached to a wagon containing three men, became frightened and ran into a one-man car on Margin street, crashing its head through a window in the front of the car. The animal then dashed madly down the street and threatened to run down a number of pedestrians.

Stanchfield leaped from the sidewalk and tried to grasp the reins near the animal's head, but was thrown with considerable force into the gutter.

The victim is the father of six children.

SAYS ARMENIA'S LIBERTY IS LOST

Reports Reaching London Declare It Is No Longer Independent State

London, Dec. 4.—According to latest reports from Armenia, the republic has ceased to exist as an independent State and the territorial limits have been reduced by the Bolshevik treaty to about 152 square miles, said a Constantinople dispatch to the Daily Express today.

The Constantinople correspondent of the Daily Express said that the Georgians took advantage of the Russo-Armenian treaty to grab off a slice of territory in the Borghalu district.

The diplomatic correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, writing on Armenia, says:

"The cause of Armenian independence suffered a reverse at yesterday's session of the inter-allied council which has received an inkling of President Wilson's intentions in the matter of frontiers. The members of the inter-allied council were alarmed, for they have arrived at the conclusion that they could not possibly guarantee the frontiers of the 'Wilson quadrilateral.'

The members of the council have suggested to the allied delegates at Geneva that final decision on the admission of Armenia into the league be postponed.

SPRINKLER LAW CALLED 'GRAFT'

Back Bay Tenants' Association to Fight for Abolition of Statute

Abolition of the [illegible] sprinkler law for tenement and apartment houses will be sought at the next session of the Legislature as the result of measures adopted at a meeting of the members of the Back Bay Tenants' Association, held in Bates Hall.

An attempt will also be made to have other legislation passed providing for more equitable relations between landlords and tenants.

Among the speakers at the meeting was Mrs. N. W. P. Whittemore, secretary of the association, who denounced the sprinkler law as a "piece of graft." She assailed the building commissioner for bringing up the question of its enforcement at a time when apartments were scarce.

Representative Henry L. Shattuck admitted that the requirement was unnecessary and expensive.

President John W. Crooks, who presided, said that he had received an eviction notice from his landlord and that he will test the law forbidding a rent increase of more than [illegible] per cent.

Other bills which the organization will advocate are measures to prevent landlords from refusing as tenants families in which there are children; to establish housing conditions in a manner similar to the improvement effected by the Lever act in regard to food and clothing; to eliminate taxation on dwellings and apartments for a period of years, as in New York, in order to encourage home building.

Members agreed to obtain five new members each by January 1, or to pay an assessment of $5 to defray the cost of legal expenses.

CHRISTMAS PLAY AIDS $1,000,000 COLLEGE GIFT

A Christmas mystery play written to aid women's colleges in the Orient, for which a national committee is working to raise $1,000,000 as an international Christmas gift, was given in Jordan Hall. The parts in the production were taken by members of the Lend-a-Hand Dramatic Club of Boston, consisting of the Misses Ethel Hale Freeman, Margaret Arnold, Caroline L. Freeman, Helen Blanchard, Bennie Jarvis, Susan Jameson, Marion L. Clapp, Amy V. Beal, Priscilla Ordway and Mrs. Allen Hubbard and the Newton Centre Girl Scouts.

BETROTHED

Photo by Chamberlain [illegible]

MISS FLORENCE A. SMITH

Miss Florence A. Smith, a teacher in the Charles Sumner School, Roslindale, proved such an efficient supervisor of playgrounds that Nathaniel J. Young, director of physical training in the Boston public schools, has engaged her for a life job of supervising him and his home.

The engagement of the couple has been announced and other teachers gathered at the Normal School, South Huntington avenue, last night to extend their congratulations to the pair.

The affair was novel in its way, everybody present being in the uniform of the playground.

Desire for Gay Life in Girl Forger's Fall

Sabria P. Dyer, brilliant and talented young lecturer and teacher, today languishes in a New Hampshire jail, unable to secure bail, as a result of having fallen in with companions who longed for gayety, night life and money.

The girl is charged with having forged no less than twenty-eight known checks, and each succeeding day brings to light other charges which may be laid against her.

Her career of idleness and easy living dates from January or February of this year, when she ceased to be employed by the American Educational Association, with offices at No. 120 Boylston street, Boston.

Before being employed by that organization she had been affiliated with the Coit-Alber Lyceum Bureau as a manager and Chautauqua lecturer. In both these organizations she was regarded as one of their most talented members, despite the fact she was scarce twenty-five years of age.

Today Pinkerton operatives who were responsible for her arrest charge she forged and passed checks in the following communities: Providence, three; Springfield, four; Nashua, N. H., four; Concord, N. H., four; Lynn, four; Cambridge, one, and Boston, nine.

FAST WORKER.

Her movements in each of these communities were speedy. She passed the three checks in Providence in less than half an hour. In Nashua it took her hardly more than an hour to cash four of them. Lynn was passed through like a gale.

She admits she worked so fast in Springfield she cannot accurately say how many checks she passed.

In January or February of this year the local head of the American Educational Association noticed that Miss Dyer appeared more frivolous than usual. The odor of cigarettes was detected on her breath and clothing. As a result she was dropped.

Since that time the girl has lived in idleness. Always bountifully supplied with funds, she appeared on the street clad only in the best of raiment. She is known to have been friendly with John T. Wells, who was arrested with her, since September.

DELUGE OF CHECKS.

Wells owns an automobile, and in this the pair are said to have flitted from place to place, passing the spurious checks. Some of the nine checks which were passed in Boston were placed in September and from that time until about a week ago there were no reports received of work by the pair.

Then came the deluge throughout the surrounding communities. A visit to the apartment she formerly occupied in Colon street, Allston, resulted in the discovery there of check books on the National Shawmut Bank, Massachusetts Trust Company, Market Trust Company of Brighton, Phoenix-Chatham National Bank of New York and other institutions.

There are numerous forgeries on the New York institution, but as yet nothing definite has been forthcoming to connect her with them. She had a small account in the Massachusetts Trust Company. One of her last offences in Boston was to cash a check for $[illegible] on that bank and at the time there were no funds to cover it.

The Old Colony Trust Company, Temple Place branch, Beacon Trust and Commonwealth Trust Company were a few of the Boston banks visited by her. Tellers from most of these institutions have identified either her or her picture as being the young woman who passed the checks.

CHECKS $78.20 EACH.

In almost every instance the checks she is alleged to have cashed were for $78.20 each. The Pinkertons were deluged with such checks as these and when reports were received from Lynn Thursday that a woman had passed four of them in that city, Assistant Superintendent Harry Murray at once dispatched an operative to Manchester, feeling the trail would lead to that city.

She was found at the Amoskeag National Bank while Wells was located in a lobby of a hotel. He was held on suspicion and released only to be immediately rearrested charged with having forged and altered a check in Concord, N. H.

Investigation in Boston revealed that while with the Lyceum Bureau she lectured with such men as John Kendrick Bangs, Irvin S. Cobb, Vice-President Marshall, Gifford Pinchot, Princess Cantacuzene, [illegible], Chief Strongheart and William H. Taft.

At the Educational Association great regret was expressed over her downfall and it was with extreme reluctance that anybody would be induced to [illegible].

JANITOR HEIR SEEKS ROMANCE

Malden Heir to Millions Is After Wife Who Qualifies With Good Nature

William H. Hanson, just plain, common, good-natured, every-day janitor, over in Malden, has fallen heir, with others, to a fortune of two millions, but he isn't worrying.

"Not worrying," said he, "either about the matter of [illegible] nor how I'm going to spend the money. I'm sensible, I guess, and I'm not forgetting those relatives who will have their fingers on that fortune before the rightful heirs. Nor am I forgetting the income taxes, nor the inheritance taxes, nor the revenue stamps nor—say, mister, there's a high cost of living in inheriting fortunes today, so I'm keeping my feet on the ground. And if—but if—well if—"

"Well if—yes—what—?"

"Well if I get that fortune after the mills of the law have ground slowly, but fine those mills of the gods, well—there's just one thing I'm not going to do with that fortune, and that's buy an automobile. One of the [illegible] dangerous contraptions ever invented by the mind of man is the automobile. I know—had a [illegible] killed in one once. Never stepped my foot in an automobile since. Never will—nobody can persuade me."

Mr. Hanson is lately from Dover, N. H., where he conducted a fruit store business. He has just one ambition about that fortune—"Horse and buggy!" "A real nifty turnout," said he. "Not one, but lots of 'em. Ever since I was a little boy, up in New Hampshire, I've always wanted a good 'rig,' a stable full of 'em in fact. There's nothing like a good horse and plenty of silver mounted harness."

LOVES THE LADIES.

It's a delicate thing to hint to a prospective heir that he, being a single man, may be sought by many loving damsels, matrimonially inclined, now he's come into a fortune.

But when it is hinted—the hinter will find out that Hanson is willing. "All right," says he, "the ladies, God bless 'em, some can come all. I like 'em. Doesn't make any difference to me their age. Fact is, I, myself, am [illegible] older, always worked hard. [illegible] but they can be old or young, handsome or indifferent. Don't even care if they can cook well—am so used to restaurants by now that I would hardly know home cooking when I saw it. But I'd like 'em good natured, that's all, good natured."

Mr. Hanson, heir to millions, as a janitor and as a prospective rich man, is nothing if not obliging; nothing if not good natured himself. What to do with the money was the uppermost thought in his mind.

WON'T IMITATE GARLAND.

"I'll not give it away; that's one sure thing," said he, "not like those Garland boys. I call that simply criminal, particularly when a man has a family, as one of those boys has. Why I am glad to get the money is for my little foster-daughter, twenty years old. That'll have her protected from the world. But give my money to institutions? The good-hearted man leaves one a million, and they spend it all out in big salaries to superintendents.

"I'll go out in the street and stop poor people I see passing first, and hand 'em out the cash. Well, it's a funny world. Who ever would have thought, just a year ago, that an old aunt of my mother, eighty-eight years of age, whom I had never seen, away off in Chicago, would have died and left her money to us here in the East. Mrs. [illegible] was her name, she was a judge's wife.

"But, as I said in the beginning, this fortune doesn't take my breath away. I'm still able to do my work as a janitor, here in Malden square. And I shall continue till the money comes. And after that—I'm used to work. It's the only real joy and, million or no million, I'll work on still. Only I'm glad for my little foster-daughter; also I'll get that horse and buggy, don't forget."

INTOXICATION NO LONGER PORTLAND DIVORCE CAUSE

Portland, Me., Dec. 4. — Judge Lauren M. Sanborn, sitting in the Cumberland County Divorce Court, granted [illegible] their freedom. Not one of the cases charged intoxication, which in preceding years has been the predominant ground on which separation suits were based.

SOUTH BOSTON CAFE MAN FINED ON LIQUOR CHAR

Jacob [illegible], proprietor of the [illegible] Lunch, at No. 217 Northern avenue, South Boston, charged with keeping and exposing for sale intoxicating liquor at his place of business, pleaded guilty in South Boston Court. He was fined $[illegible] and appealed.

Rabbi Denounces Ford and Anti-Semitism

Rabbi Samuel J. Cohen, executive director of the United Synagogue of America, attacked Henry Ford and denounced the anti-Semitic campaign of the auto magnate's newspaper, the Dearborn Independent, in the course of an address to the members of the Blue Hill Avenue Synagogue, Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury.

The Rabbi declared "anti-Semitism in America is being fostered by the same reactionary elements that are creating the pogroms in Hungary, Poland and the Ukraine."

"The gold of the parasitic grand dukes of Russia and the predatory robber barons of Hungary and other countries regarded as more civilized," said Rabbi Cohen, "is used in paying for the free distribution of the tens of thousands of copies of that scurrilous forgery, 'Protocols,' and the anonymous 'Cause of the World's Unrest,' which is written in a style so wonderfully like that of the editor of the London Evening Post."

SEVEN SEEK DIVORCES IN MIDDLESEX COUNTY

Four wives and three husbands have filed suits for divorce at the East Cambridge courthouse. William J. McIver of Cambridge claims his wife, Mrs. Marjorie McIver, deserted him March 31, 1917. [illegible] C. Westlake of Boston sues Mrs. Gertrude E. Westlake of Lexington, alleging desertion. Paul MacFarland of Melrose charges Mrs. Elizabeth P. MacFarland of Melrose with infidelity. Cora F. Perry of Marlboro sues [illegible] C. Perry of Marlboro, alleging desertion. Mrs. Effie Moore of Cambridge sues Alexander F. Moore of Somerville, alleging non-support and cruel and abusive treatment. Mrs. Aline P. Sullivan of Boston sues Thomas F. Sullivan of Cambridge, alleging cruel and abusive treatment, non-support and desertion. Mrs. Marie L. Tremblay of Lowell sues Joseph Tremblay of Lowell, alleging intoxication and desertion.

BIG ADVANCE SALE FOR HOSPITAL'S BENEFIT

A heavy sale of tickets for the benefit performance in aid of the endowment fund of $2,250,000 for the Children's Hospital and Convalescent Home was reported by a number of stores on the first day. Frances Wilson, De Wolf Hopper, Fred Stone and Grant Mitchell have offered their services for the benefit at Mechanics Building Sunday evening, December 12. Tickets are now on sale at Wright & Ditson, Filene's, Steinert & Sons, Herrick, A. Shuman & Co., Hotel Touraine and the Copley-Plaza.

DOG SHOW TO AID BASKET FUND

Mrs. Kinder to Direct Event on December 10 in Paine Memorial Hall

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trembling from cold and fear. There were a few cinders in a can by the stove which the old lady said she was saving for the latter part of the day when it would be colder. There was absolutely nothing in the house to eat.

One of the Basket Fund workers went to the nearest store and purchased $5 worth of groceries and meat to attend to the immediate wants of the two old ladies.

"I have been out of employment for the past eight weeks, said one of the old ladies," but never thought that I would ever want for food. My sister and I have not eaten anything for four days."

These two unfortunate women will be given a big Christmas dinner by the Boston American, but they are in need of immediate assistance. They need bed clothing. They need coal. They need clothing. It was with the greatest difficulty that the Basket Fund investigator learned the details of their pitiful condition.

Present indications are that the double tag day throughout Greater Boston next Friday and Saturday will be a big success. The authorities of Boston, Cambridge, Newton, Brookline, Chelsea, Somerville, Malden, Winthrop and Quincy have gladly cooperated with the Boston American by granting the necessary permission to sell tags in these communities.

PRETTY GIRLS TO HELP.

Scores of pretty girls have volunteered to assist the Basket Fund by selling tags on these two days. A large group of girls from the Whitney Studio of Platform Art will be among those who will contribute their services. Some of the girls from this school who will sell tags are the Misses Dorothy Neal Hunt of Everett, Lois La Vern Jesson of Mansfield, O.; Mildred Nalean, Princeton, Ill.; Mary Eliza Kern of Cambridge, O.; Corabel Ball of White Stay, Ky.; Mildred Fairbanks Shattuck of Burlington, Vt., and Beth Mae Russell of Cambridge.

The Whitney Studio of Platform Art is regarded as one of the most distinguished schools in Boston. Organized for the purpose of giving psychological training for development of ability along the lines of platform art in all its phases. It also aids in personal development and overcoming of self-consciousness. Foss Lamprell Whitney and Edwin M. Whitney, the instructors, are said to be among the most successful teachers in this profession. Development of personality as the reinforcement of technical skill is one of the chief features of the training.

There are both daily and evening classes. The studio organizes companies for Chautauqua and Lyceum entertainments. Visitors are welcome to visit the classes. In addition to this school, students from many others are planning on giving their time next Friday and Saturday to help the fund.

DOG SHOW TO BOOST FUND.

A dog show in aid of the Basket Fund has been arranged for the evening of December 10 in Paine Memorial Hall. It will be under the direction of Mrs. William F. Kinder of South Boston, Mrs. E. B. West, Mrs. F. A. Dallen and Mrs. Mildred Greene. These women are among the most prominent dog fanciers of Greater Boston, and are always willing to aid a worthy cause. They gave a show last year in aid of the Basket Fund, which was highly successful.

A collection in aid of the Basket Fund will be taken next Monday night during the course of a basketball game between the Institute Athletic Association of Cambridge and Notre Dame of South Boston in Knights of Columbus Hall, Somerville.

It is expected that a big crowd will turn out for this event as Luke Urban, the crack Boston College football player, is captain of the Institute team and will appear in the lineup. The other players on this team are Tommy Murphy, also a Boston College student; William Carlson, Frank Moran, Dave Freeman, Nate Hurwitz.

The Notre Dame team includes Kendricks, Hayes, Jack Hannon, Neal Sullivan and Ambrose. During the intermission the Senecas of Cambridge will meet the Boston Y. M. C. A. Independents. Dancing is to follow until midnight with Travers' Orchestra playing.

Among the recent contributions to the fund are Edmund D. Codman, $25; Fraternal Order of Orioles, Boston, Hub Nest No. 14, $10; G. F. Redmond & Company, investment securities, $25—"for your Christmas Basket Fund to which we desire to contribute as a most worthy cause for which we have much sympathy"; Bridge Tenders' Union, $5; Boston Elementary Teachers' Club, $25; Medical Examiner Dr. Timothy Leary, $5, and the Kinney Manufacturing Company, $5.

BOY GIVES HIS EARNINGS.

Robert Prout of Wollaston wrote: "On my return from work this evening my little boy, Everett, met me with smiling countenance and said: 'Daddy, please give this to the American Santa Claus man.' It seems he had helped a neighbor cleaning out her cellar, had been rewarded with a dime, and his first thought was of your fund. Will you therefore accept the ten cents to the credit of Everett R. Prout, as well as the additional one dollar from me?"

Collections totalling more than $33, made by George H. Curry of Roxbury, who is giving the Basket Fund much generous assistance, has been turned in.

Some of the pathetic appeals received by the Basket Fund editor follow. A six-year-old boy from the West End wrote:

"I am a little boy six years old, and write to ask you if you will please send us a Christmas basket. Papa is sick from lumbago. He has it every Winter, and is laid up a good deal. When he works he gets small pay. There are six of us in the family. Mama is sickly and cannot work. We are all small children so will you kindly send us a basket, or we won't have any Christmas dinner. Thanking you in advance, I remain."

The following request comes from a South Boston girl:

"I am a girl fifteen years old and I just got laid off because they didn't have any more work. I have seven sisters and brothers, besides myself. My father does not work steady and my mother is sick in bed. I feel very unhappy. Please don't forget me this Christmas and send us a basket. I will be waiting Christmas Eve for it, so please don't forget us."

A South Boston woman makes application for a basket:

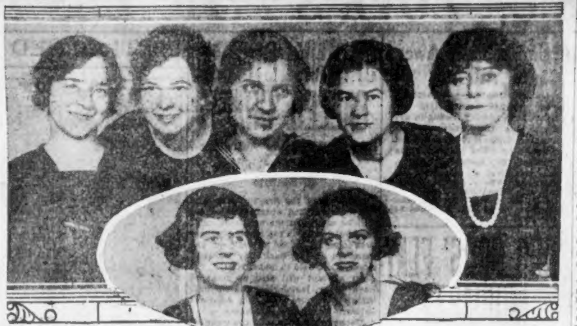
"I am writing to you a few lines hoping you will send us a basket. My husband is not working, and there are eight in the family. I do not think we will have any Christmas dinner this season. I will be very thankful if you will please send me a basket."

LATEST CONTRIBUTIONS.

Contributions to the fund follow:

Boston American	$1,000.00
Previous acknowledgments	4,276.00
Employes of the Bureau of Supplies and Repairs, Boston Fire Dept.	18.24
Maurice C. Hallett	10.00
Collected by Sylvia Carol at Chandler & Co.'s dance	4.40
Frank E. Amsden	10.00
Joseph M. Parker	2.00
No. 1001 Commonwealth ave.	2.00
Kendall D. Walker	10.00
Employes of Agar Mfg. Corp.	24.25
In memory of Helen—M. A. M.	1.00
Jennie G. Everett	1.00
Mary McLellan, 8 years	2.00
Asaton, R. I.	1.00
O. S. S.	2.00
Dorothy Peek, the Twins and Chester Peek	5.00
Robert W. Lord	10.00
Roland H. Boutwell	2.00
Ernest Greenwood	1.00
Henry R. Brewer	10.00
W. W. C. Spencer	5.00
Mrs. Hannibal L. Hamlin	10.00
United Motors of N. E.	15.00
Collection, Fenway A. A.	118.15
Collection, [illegible] A. A.	173.88
Collection, Geo. V. Touhey, wrestling carnival	347.78
George F. White	100.00
"Bill"	.25
Helen and Dorothy Cushing	1.00
Katherine and Eileen Cushing	1.00
Katherine O'Brien	.50
Blanche S. Strawbridge	5.00
Bellboys and Telephone Operators, Parker House	9.00
Collection by Messrs. O'Connor and Stiles, at Convention Hall	10.00
Mrs. Frank E. Parkhurst	5.00
Mrs. I. M. C.	1.00
Mrs. M. L.	1.00
Fenway A. A.—additional	1.80
R. J. Baker	100.00
Elsie and Bud [illegible]	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Clifford	2.00
K. C. Mulvey, Lynn	2.00
Harry W. Beal	10.00
R. E. McDonald Co.	15.00
J. W. T.	1.00
Nathalie Roy	1.00
"A Friend"	10.00
John Holmstrom	5.00
Capt. Daniel Murphy, Station No. 6	1.00
"In Memory of Allie"—Nahant	2.00
Jimmie Robinson	3.00
Alfred Robinson	.50
[illegible]	2.00
Mrs. Marie F. Maglon	5.00
Boston & Albany R. R., Local No. 1120, I. L. A.	10.00
"From a Friend"	5.00
Emile Pickhardt	5.00
Barbara Matthews	1.00
Frances Stickel	2.00
"In Memory of My Daddy, Dave McLaughlin"	1.00
John H. Moser	25.00
E. F. S.	5.00
Ruth Weidman	1.00
Through W. J. Cleary:	
Boston Galvanizing Co., So. Boston	15.00
H. G. T., South Boston	5.00
Columbus Lunch, South Boston	2.00
David Henry, South Boston	2.00
William Kirby, South Boston	1.00
Tom Kenny, South Boston	1.00
Viglas Lunch, South Boston	1.00
Peter Jakomis, South Boston	1.00
D. W. Dunn & Co., South Boston	5.00
Dorothy W. Proctor	2.00
Margaret and Mary Phillips	1.00
John E. Quinn	10.00
M. A. W.	10.00
J. P. Mullane, Cambridge	5.00
Roxbury Theatre Employes	25.00
Through Mrs. C. H. Washburn:	
Charlotte H. Guild	10.00
"E. S. C."	25.00
Penn, the Florist	10.00
"In Memory of my Mother," W. S.	1.00
"Friend of the Kiddies"	5.00
Elsie S. Pratt	2.00
Richmond L. Weston	3.00
George D. Pushee	100.00
A Friend	1.00
J. Warren Mooney	2.50
Mrs. Percy V. Hill, Augusta, Me.	15.00
K. E. Hartman	2.00
Officers and members of the Philippine Students' Assn. of N. E.	17.50
Mary E. Palmer	5.00
Peninsula Family Laundry	10.00
Jessie Harrington of New York	10.00
Harvard Food Shop, Paul A. Koehler	5.00
Quincy A. C.	1.00
Ruth P. Gilmore	10.00
Mrs. H. Heurie	2.00
J. P. Quinn	5.00
Alfred S. Hewins	1.00
A. K. of the R.	.25
Dorothy, Evelyn and Rheda Elfman	5.00
X. Y. Z.	1.00
Mrs. A. F. Rogers	1.00
S. A. Ekmund	1.00
Thomas A. Forsyth	15.00
C. A. Crane	1.00
J. B., South Boston	5.00
"Tom" Wilson, Ltd.	10.00
"A Friend," Waltham	3.00
Stout, Scanlan Co.	5.00
A. E. Haneberger	5.00
Brookline Service Club	10.00
Robert T. Bruce	1.00
Alfred R. Mitchell, 7 years	1.00
Plymouth Hardware Co.	5.00
Laurie H. King	2.00
Employes of the Texas Co.	35.75
Mrs. T. Nathan	1.00
Francis and Dorothy Sims	2.00
Bernard L. Ogilvie	1.00
Ruth, Theresa, Virginia and Marjorie Tracy	3.00
"One Interested"	1.00
M. Abrams	5.00
Alice H. A. Luce	2.00
Wendell, Beryl and Kenneth Simpson	3.00
S. A. H.	1.10
Lester C. Kissell	25.00
In Memory of my mother and father, Mrs. Mary Ravinel	2.00
A. S. Joslyn	5.00
J. S. Quigley	3.00
A. H. R.	2.00
Mrs. M. J. Moylan, Roxbury	1.00
Rose E. Crane	1.00
A Friend	2.00
Frances Girls' Club	50.00
John Allen Fowle, 5½ years	1.00
Edith Rumsey Fowle, 8 years	1.00
Edmund D. Codman	25.00
George & Eleanor Largess	2.00
H. Danielson	5.00
Plumbers' Union, Local 145, Malden	5.00
Katherine M. Hill	5.00
S. R. W.	1.00
Memory of A. B. Walde	2.00
H. T.	1.00
J. P. C., Lynn	1.00
Helen F. Malcolm	4.00
Dr. Timothy Leary	5.00
John M. Daly	2.00
In memory of E. P. W.	5.00
Lera M. Prescott	5.00
G. J. Wemyss	2.00
J. J. Whelton	1.00
Geo. H. Lowry, Camb.	1.00
Mrs. W. R. Powell	10.00
R. L. Lane	5.00
George Griffing Chapman	1.00
Bridge Tenders' Union	5.00
Josephine S. Brown	1.00
Boston Elementary Teachers' Club	25.00
Boston Nest of Orioles No. 14	10.00
H. J. Borowski	5.00
C. J. Lawlor	5.00
Wm. H. Nolan, So. Boston	1.00
G. F. Redmond & Co., Inc.	25.00
Joe O'Leary Social, Corinthian Hall	3.18
News Girls' Union Dance	5.14
Mike J. Donahue's Social, Parker Memorial Hall	5.13
Roscommon Associates, Hibernian Hall	6.15
Frank Hart's Social, Red Men's Hall	2.60
Local No. 3 Brotherhood Stationary Firemen and Oilers' dance, Paine Memorial Hall	11.43
"In Memory of Tom"	2.00
A Friend	6.00
Everett R. Prout	.10
Robert Prout	1.00
Total	7,069.34

Tag Sellers Helping Xmas Basket Fund



Students of Whitney Studios of Platform Art, Boston, who will sell tags next Friday and Saturday in aid of the American's Christmas Basket Fund. Large group, left to right: Dorothy Neal Hunt, Everett; Lois LeVern Jesson, Mansfield, Ohio; Mildred NaLean, Princeton, Ill.; Mary Eliza Kern, Cambridge, Ohio, and Corabel Ball, White Stay, Ky.. Lower photos, left to right: Mildred Fairbanks Shattuck, Burlington, Vt., and Beth Mae Russell, Cambridge.

Christmas Tree Supply Short; Prices Up

By Universal Service.

New York, Dec. 4.—Even Christmas trees have caught the high price fever!

A short supply and increased freight rates are given as the cause of this by dealers who received their first supply today.

Holly also will be higher than last year, they said.

COLDS AND A RAW, SORE THROAT

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Colds Go Over Night — Sore Throat In 15 Minutes.

You will know why thousands use CAMPHOROLE when once you apply it over the affected parts or up the nose. Instantly, difficult breathing is relieved. The air passages and lungs are penetrated by the powerful antiseptic vapors which reach the very seat of the disease with each breath.

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MR. L. W. NEWCOMB THROUGH WITH HOSPITALS

Springfield, Mass.—In a letter sent to Dr. J. F. True & Co., Mr. L. W. Newcomb of 139 Cambridge St., writes: "I am writing to let you know how I am getting along. I have taken two large size bottles of your Dr. True's Elixir, and am feeling 100 per cent. better than before using. I will continue taking it for I do not have the pain that I had before, and my wife and every one I know tells me I am looking better. The deep circles are all gone from under my eyes. No more hospitals for me."

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Shave Strike Student May Lose His Bet

Amherst, Dec. 4.—Roger Tileston of Sharon, agricultural college sophomore here, may only collect half of the bet he made on October 16 that he would neither shave nor cut his hair until Christmas. For two classmates seized him at dinner, ran clippers over his right cheek and led him to the college barber who completed the one-sided job. Tileston, however, will not touch the remaining underbrush until December 25.

RETURNS TO SOMERVILLE TO ATTEND SICK MOTHER

Mrs. Frederick Fuller of Akron, O., has returned to her home, No. 388 Medford street, Somerville, to be with her mother, Mrs. Anna Murphy, who is dangerously ill. Mrs. Fuller was married in Niagara on October 7, and went to Akron, where her husband, formerly of Hot Springs, N. C., is employed. She expects Mr. Fuller to join her here in a few days.

The doctor will tell you that unless your power of resistance is up to normal you fall an easy victim to colds, grip, pneumonia and other serious illness.

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WOMEN ARE EASY, SAYS BIGAMIST

"Catering to Their Vanities" Is Method of Ex-Army Captain Held for Having Four

By Universal Service.

Tulsa, Okla., Dec. 4.—George E. Roberts, under arrest here for having four wives, says that women are easy to fool if a man caters to their vanities.

Roberts claims his father was an American consul at Hong Kong, China, and that he served in the war as a captain in the Rainbow Division. According to the police his trial is expected to bring to light one of the most checkered careers in Oklahoma criminal annals.

Describing his methods with women, he said he told the ones he fancied that his father died, leaving him an estate in San Antonio, Tex., which would become the legacy of the woman his son married. This story, he admitted, brought results.

$20 COAL STIRS HAVERHILL

Citizens Send Protest to Council and Demand Probe of High Price

Haverhill, Dec. 4.—A petition signed by 1,500 citizens was received by the Municipal Council demanding a probe into the high price of coal in this city.

Coal retails for $20 a ton, with 75 cents additional for delivery. Haverhill is, next to Brockton, the highest price coal city in the State.

The petition was referred to Alderman George Munsey, Commissioner of Health and Charities.

Local dealers assert that because they have been obliged to buy premium coal to fill orders the prices are high.

Another petition, signed by 106 citizens, asks for a general meeting under the provisions of the city charter "to consult upon the public good."

The purpose of the petitioners is to have Mayor Charles H. Croy present to question him in regard to his attitude in vetoing an order for the city taking over the gas plant, thereby preventing the question going on the ballot for a referendum, and also his attitude as opposed to jitneys.

Mayor Croy has stated that he is opposed to both measures and says that he will not attend the meeting.

STOMACH UPSET?

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That's what thousands of stomach sufferers are doing now. Instead of taking tonics, or trying to patch up a poor digestion, they are attacking the *real* cause of the ailment—clogged liver and disordered bowels.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets arouse the liver in a soothing, healing way. When the liver and bowels are performing their natural functions, away goes indigestion and stomach troubles.

Have you a bad taste, coated tongue, poor appetite, a lazy, don't-care feeling, no ambition or energy, trouble with undigested foods? Take Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color. They do the work without griping, cramps or pain.

Take one or two at bedtime for quick relief. Eat what you like. 15c and 30c.

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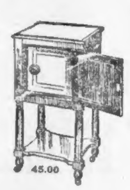
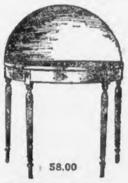




Martha Washington Work Table—Probably no gift could be more pleasing or more useful. Illustrated—a most popular and practical design; mahogany **25.00**

Safe Cabinet—A most unusual and worthy gift piece; the one pictured is mahogany with a 15-inch square top; inside is a combination steel safe... **45.00**

Tea Wagon—Nothing is more pleasing, nothing more useful than this labor-saving Tea Wagon fitted with 18x27-inch glass tray top, rubber tired wheels **28.00**

Fireside Rocker—Broad mahogany arms, upholstered in tapestry **55.00**

Easy Chairs—Very large and comfortable, with high back; excellent tapestry **68.00**

Other Chairs 58.00 to 200.00

Book Case—With glass door, mahogany finish **27.50**

Book Cases, 21.00 to 140.00

Sofa End Tables—14x25 inch top **23.00**

Tapestry Seat Rockers—Variety of styles, from **25.00 to 32.00**

Tapestry Davenports—From **117.50 to 410.00**

Children's Rattan Rockers, 6.75

Telephone Set—The simple modern design of this dainty little set will fit nicely into almost any hall or room furnishing schemes; top 15x18 inches, shelf complete with stout stool, mahogany finish, **23.50**

Queen Anne Secretary—Decorative and extremely useful; as a gift it is a worthy one. This one is of Dutch design, with drawers and book shelves **112.00**

Card Tables—One of Sheraton's beautiful designs, richly inlaid; as a gift for him this is a happy thought and a practical present. This one is light mahogany **58.00**

Clothes Trees — Mahogany finish or oak, four double metal hooks **7.50**

Chinese Blackwood Tabourets—richly carved **22.50**

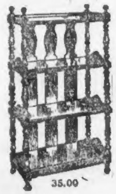
Other Teakwood Tabourets .... **13.50 to 45.00**

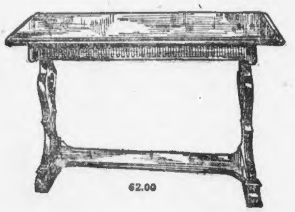
Piano Bench—Tapering Legs, music box under seat. . **21.00**

Other Benches up to 35.00

Secretary Desk—31 inches wide, has three long drawers, large desk lid and book case **62.00**

Other Secretaries up to 265.00





Magazine Stand — A gift suggestion of great utility; there is a place for one in every home; one illustrated is made strong to carry the heavy weight required; brown mahogany finish **35.00**

Library Table—A beautiful and substantial gift. Furniture of character. One illustrated: 48 inches wide, has pierced vase-shaped ends; brown mahogany finish **62.00**

Governor Winthrop Desk—Conceded to be the most conveniently arranged writing desk made and in great demand. This Colonial piece (illustrated) is of rare beauty of design. 32 inches wide....... **100.00**

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EMPLOYES MADE CO-PARTNERS

Lord Leverhulme, Soap King, Scorns Scientific Management of Business

Lord Leverhulme, head of the Lever Brothers Company, international soap manufacturers, has no patience with scientific management, he told the employes of his Cambridge plant at a banquet in the Hotel Somerset.

Only Lord Leverhulme does not call them employes. He prefers the term "co-partners."

"I will have nothing at all to do with scientific management," he said in addressing them. "I cannot say anything in favor of it unless the science of management appeals to the heart and deals fairly and honestly with each worker.

LOOKS ON WORKERS AS ARTISTS.

"Art is business and business is art. I would like to have every person connected with our company consider himself an artist.

"If we reach a condition where every worker goes to his task each day with a light heart and cheerful face, we will have the spirit of co-partnership. We will show the world that a twentieth century industrial system is a success.

"Let us get back to that great sweetener of life—brotherhood in business."

The manufacturer told of his humble beginning in England wrapping soap. The output of the Lever plants now runs into many tons annually. His start at the bottom, he said, had undoubtedly given him a better view of life than had his youth been spent in luxury.

He was striving to bring about a system that is midway between Bolshevism and that other extreme which regards workmen as only so many "hands," he said. He emphatically declared his dislike of that term when applied to men and women employes.

FAVORS CO-PARTNERSHIP.

Happiness he defined as a combination of congenial occupation and a sense of progress.

"I am often asked about my co-partnership system and 'if there is any money in it,'" he said.

"I don't know and I don't care, but I do believe that it is right."

F. A. Countway, manager of the Cambridge plant, presided at the banquet. Before the speeches began, 232 of the workers passed before Lord Leverhulme and each received profit-sharing certificates. The co-partnership benefits are now given all employes who have been with the company one year or longer.

—Subscribe to AMERICAN Xmas Fund—

SPECIAL SERVICE AT TRINITY, NEWTON CENTRE

"The Tragedy of the Delayed Start" will be the subject of the address at the special evening service in Trinity Church, Newton Centre, at 7:15 by the rector, the Rev. Edward T. Sullivan. "The Cherubim Song" by Bortnyanski, the composer of Russian church music, will be repeated, and the "Netherland Folk Song" will be sung by a chorus of men, women and boys.

CHURCH NEWS

Dr. George Chalmers Richmond, formerly minister of the St. Louis Community Church, will address the Boston Community Church at Steinert Hall next Sunday at 11 a. m. on "The Danger of Being a Christian in a Time Like This." Dr. Richmond has been spending the Autumn in Seattle as a resident lecturer at the Labor College and has addressed large audiences among the labor groups and forums by whom he has been warmly received. It will be Dr. Richmond's first appearance in Boston and those who know him by reputation as a fearless and eloquent speaker, are keenly anticipating this opportunity to hear him.

At the Brotherhood Forum, 79 Shawmut avenue, Sunday, at 3:30 p. m., George H. Le Barr will speak on "The Psychology of the Russian as the Key to Bolshevism."

Mr. Norman Hapgood of New York will speak on "Recovering the Freedom of the Press" at the Old South Meeting House, Milk and Washington streets, Sunday at 3:15 p. m.

At the Cathedral Church of St. Paul, Tremont street, Sunday at 7:30 p. m., Rev. Donald M. Aldrich will speak on "The Point of View."

At the Church of All Nations, 79 Shawmut avenue, Sunday at 10:30 a. m., there will be an address by Mr. James H. Causey of Denver, Col. His theme will be "The Church for the New Day."

The fifth of a series of Sunday evening meeting will be held Sunday at 7:45 p. m. at Unity House, Park square. Rev. Theodore G. Soares of University of Chicago will speak on "The Spirit of Comradeship." The Laymen's League Chorus will sing and there will be an excellent musical program by the Boston Symphony Orchestra quintet.

Rev. Edward T. Sullivan will speak Sunday at 10:45 a. m. at Trinity Church, Newton Centre. His subject will be "Our Motive Power or the Power of Our Motives."

At the Porter Square Universalist Church, Cambridge, Sunday at 10:45 a. m., Rev. Lucius R. Paige, minister, will speak on "The Lad, the Loaves and the Fishes." The orchestra opens the Sunday School at 12 m. The Young People's Meeting at 7 p. m., with a program of unusual interest. Miss Helen Rice in charge. Everyone welcome. The Every Member Canvass of all friends and members of the parish will be carried on in the afternoon from two to six. All the Masonic lodges of the second district, at the invitation of Charity Lodge, and the Church, will hold a Forefathers' Day Commemoration service at this church, December 12, at 4 p. m.

Dr. Charles Fleischer, leader of the Sunday Commons, will speak Sunday at 11 a. m. in Huntington Chambers Hall, 30 Huntington avenue. His theme will be, "Anti-Semitism and Other Organized Hatred a Crime Against America." Dr. Fleischer's lecture will be an answer to the recent propaganda by Henry Ford, against the Jews.

At the Young Men's Forum of the Y. M. C. A., 316 Huntington avenue, Sunday at 6:20 p. m., Rev. E. Deer, secretary of the Church Federation in Dayton, Ohio, will give an address on "Single Handed or Together."

"God, the Only Cause and Creator," will be the subject of a lesson sermon at the First Church of Christ, Scientist, Back Bay, Sunday at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

At the Sunday meeting of the Christadelphians, Mr. A. L. Lindquist of Brockton will speak on "Zionism a Sign of His Coming Kingdom," at Franklin Hall, Codman square, Dorchester, at 7:30 p. m.

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The Sale That Helps Thrifty People Save Money

Banner Bargain Sale In Our Great Basement Store

This famous Once-a-Month Sale—for two days only—is widely known for its exceptional values. In preparing for the sale this month we took special advantage of the current changing market to such an extent that in many cases we are able to quote new low prices. Remember, the prices in this sale are FOR TWO DAYS ONLY. All new, seasonable goods, with plenty of useful, practical and less expensive Christmas Gift suggestions.

Look for the Banners in Our Basement Store During This Sale---They Signal Big Savings

Typical Banner Values in
Women's New Silk and Lingerie Waists

Silk Waists, of georgette and tricolette, a broken lot. To close out at..........2.98
Crepe de Chine Waists, in white and flesh. Many desirable styles..........4.50
Net Waists, with long sleeves and square necks. Excellent value at..........1.35
Voile Waists, in all white and dainty colored effects; high and low neck styles..........1.55
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Voile Waists, all new and decidedly attractive models, effectively lace trimmed..........2.98

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'THE ACQUITTAL' ONLY DRAMATIC NOVELTY

In "The Acquittal," which comes to the Hollis Monday, the most interesting person is a newspaper reporter whose work as an amateur detective clears up a deep, dark mystery.

Newspaper reporters usually fare badly upon the stage. It's curious, too, because so many playwrights have served time gathering news on daily papers. But the stage reporter is ordinarily an objectionable person with a large notebook and an impudent air whose effect upon real newspapermen in the audience is very unpleasant.

I am told that William Harrigan in "The Acquittal" makes a life-like reporter, and if so he deserved a vote of thanks from the profession. Harrigan is the son of Ned Harrigan, the famous actor of a past generation, whose work in "Old Lavender" and "The Mulligan Guards" is still fondly remembered.

And Chrystal Herne, the leading woman, is the daughter of the late James A. Herne of "Shore Acres" fame.

Mitchell a Spellbinder.

Grant Mitchell is still making curtain speeches at the Park Square, and they do aver that no two are alike. Mitchell is an extemporaneous performer, and as a result of his constant practice upon audiences he can acquit himself with great credit at luncheons, dinners and teas. It speaks well for his sense of humor that people who have been lunching like to hear his postprandial efforts in these days of dry lunches.

Dangerous People.

Hopper and Wilson in "Erminie" kid each other all through the show. Their curtain speech is a cleverly prepared dialogue in which abuse reaches a fine art. Their ages, sore points with most performers, they do not hesitate to parade. Off the stage they carry on their persiflage, and interviewing Hopper with Wilson about, is about as embarrassing to a reviewer as interviewing Wilson with Hopper hovering in the offing. What the pair of them can do to an interviewer when they both get after him may easily be surmised. Probably that's why most interviewers have sidestepped the funny men and called upon Madge Lessing. Or it may be those white tights. Quien sabe.

Scotch Stuff

"Angus and Willie had got to the top of a bus, and presently a pretty girl also got on the bus. Angus said to his friend, 'Say Wullie, there's a lovely wee lass for ye, and what's more, I'm acquainted wi' her!"

Ernest Torrence, the Scotch captain of the "Night Boat," paused as his driver was half way up on the eighth hole at Brae Burn, when Jack Hazzard shouted, "Finish it before you shoot!"

Torrence put his club down again and continued:

"Weel, why don't ye go over and speak to her?"

"All in good time," said Angus. "I'm jut waitin' until the conductor has been round to collect her fare."

Then he pulled his drive into the rough.

Put Your Feet on the Mantel, Girls.

Queenie Smith, ingenue in "June Love," at the Arlington Theatre, spent twelve years with the Metropolitan Opera company as a dancer. She worked her way from a place as a pupil to that of premiere danseuse.

She believes in ballet training to develop children into graceful, athletic, healthful mothers.

"American girls are excellent material for dances," she says, "but outside of opera organizations there is no system to make them work long and seriously. A candidate for ballet dancing should receive two physical examinations from doctors before she is allowed to enter, so there may be no mistake about her strength and soundness of her lungs. A girl with a weak chest ought not to be a dancer. On the other hand, if a girl naturally is well and strong, dancing makes her more so."

According to Miss Smith one who would become a graceful dancer must not sew or typewrite. The stooping positions round her shoulders. She must not ride horseback nor skate. Skating makes her walk like a sailor and riding makes her legs stiff. She should avoid stairs as much as possible. Climbing makes knees weak. Walking tires the legs which should be used for dancing. Sitting with the knees crossed is most ungraceful and bad for the circulation of blood in the legs. Ballroom dancing makes the ankles stiff.

The best possible position for cultivation of grace is to sit with feet higher than the waist, resting them on the table or even the mantelpiece. To make the back straight and give graceful lines a woman should sleep with a pillow under her head and another under her waist. She should sleep like this from babyhood, and on her back always, never on her side, adds Miss Smith.

Who Let Him Out.

Hop Se is one of Fay Bainter's Chinese maids. She is small, slim, slant-eyed and, according to Miss Bainter, very much sought after. As a rule, with typical Chinese imperturbability, she eyes each new admirer askance, and then doesn't look again.

Miss Bainter says she never remembers her being interested in the opposite sex save once. She came into Miss Bainter's bedroom one morning with the breakfast tray, looking so very happy that Miss Bainter asked her the cause of her joy.

"I meet high Chinese man in week," was the answer.

"That's nice," commented Miss Bainter, "but why the delay?"

"He in Chinese castle in New York. He come to see fliends here soon and I meet him."

"Where in New York is this castle? I never heard of it," said Miss Bainter, who always believes in taking a sympathetic interest in those about her.

"Belly famous castle." Hop Se answered proudly. "Sing Sing."

They Canned Piccadilly.

Picking a title is one of the most important as well as the toughest things connected with a musical comedy. The original title of "Vogues and Vanities" was "Piccadilly to Broadway."

Ray Goetz, the producer, is the husband of Irene Bordoni, and also producer of "As You Were." I saw Bordoni after she had visited Brooklyn to see the piece and she told me they were changing its name.

"Why not call it 'Piccadilly?' I suggested. "That ought to be a good title."

"Mais Oui," said Bordoni, regretfully. "It would be beautiful. Unfortunately all ze Piccadilly part is out. It was no goot. So it's gone. So we are going to call it 'Here and There.'"

So they did for a while, but it turned up in Boston as "Vogues and Vanities."

Wrote Hymns as Well as Operas.

The Opera in English Company at the Boston Opera House will split the week commencing Monday between "The Gondoliers" and "Pirates of Penzance." Both of these operettas were written and composed by Gilbert and Sullivan.

The versatility of Sir Arthur Sullivan was very amazing and there is little doubt that he will go down into history as Great Britain's greatest composer. We all know his comic operas, or at least know of them, but how many know that he wrote a grand opera, "Ivanhoe," which is considered by critics as worthy of him. The Handel and Haydn Society will sing an oratorio by him, "The Golden Legend," during the coming season, which is one of the best works of this kind in the English tongue. And let us not forget that he wrote the greatest of all Gospel hymns, "Onward Christian Soldiers."

May Choke Him Yet.

While certain men—and women—are known by the cut of their clothes, Sam Bernard, star of "As You Were" at the Wilbur, may be recognized anywhere by the cut of his collar. Mr. Bernard's collars are distinctive and as much a part of his personality as the expression on his face. Mr. Bernard's collars are commonly known as "chokers"—a word now as obsolete as the expression "whatalyouhave." Curiously enough the Bernard neck is quite short and this causes the points of his collar to stick up beside his cheeks, and it is by this style of neckwear that the popular comedian may readily be picked out on any thoroughfare. Bernard has made his kind of collar so famous that a certain collar-making firm has honored the actor by naming that particular style "The Bernard." It has been said that Bernard will not play a part which will not permit him to wear his beloved "choker."

Something About Saki

People of mixed races are common in this country, but it is doubtful if a queerer combination than Marion Saki is performing on any stage. She is half Japanese and half Swedish, with a few drops of English on the side. Her father's folks were two-sworded Samurai and her maternal ancestors include Jenny Lind, whose centennial was celebrated during the past season.

Marion's dad became a dancer and was renowned for his sword dance in armor. Her two sisters, Yonika and Tanaka, are also dancing and in Tokio. But little Marion, whose mother brought her to this country at the age of six, is thoroughly American, having attended our public schools. She learned dancing from no less a personality than Pavlowa, so she adds Russian art to her mixture of Mongolian, Scandinavian and Teutonic connections.

New Star for "Vogues"

"Vogues and Vanities," which already has more stars than the Milky Way, is still adding satelites to the program. The latest addition is Grace Fisher, who will enter the lists Monday night in several new numbers which she has rehearsed during the current week. Miss Fisher is well known to vaudeville audiences in this vicinity, having been a big "headliner" in the two-a-day for several seasons. She has also been a featured player with a number of Winter Garden spectacles.

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE

One of the most remarkable plays to come from an American author in the past decade is "The Acquittal," by Miss Rita Weiman, and produced by George M. Cohan, announced as the attraction at the Hollis Street Theatre, opening Monday night, for a limited engagement, with the original New York cast. The featured players are William Harrigan, son of the illustrious "Ned" Harrigan; Chrystal Herne, daughter of the late James A. Herne, playwright and author, and George Parsons, for years one of the best character actors on the stage.

"The Acquittal" is more than a murder-mystery play. Back of it, as the development of the wonderful second act shows, lies a big, human story. As recounted by the unhappy wife, so exquisitely played by Miss Herne, there is said to be enough material in what has taken place before the action of the play opens to furnish the late M. Balzac with one of his most pulsating fictions.

What will be the future adventures, for instance, of the fascinating reporter-detective, so lifelike in the hands of Mr. Harrigan? And the wife? What does she do with her life? And the faithless husband? And the erring stenographer? Even the brilliant lawyer for the defense? One speculates as to their future careers.

SOMERVILLE THEATRE

By special arrangements made with Adolph Klauber & Co., the management of the Somerville Theatre will present that screamingly funny and hilarious farce, "Nightie Night," seen earlier in the season at Selwyn's Park Square Theatre, where it repeated its great New York success.

WALDRON'S CASINO

It is declared that patrons of Waldron's Casino will gasp with wonder and delight on Monday when they behold the gorgeous costumes and magnificent scenic and electrical effects that Max Spiegel has provided for this season's "Abe Reynolds' Revue." In a few short years Max Spiegel has become justly famous for his daring and ability as a producer. This season he has even outstripped his own previous efforts and is giving the theatre-going public the most beautiful production he has ever staged. Reynolds is presenting a character entirely new to burlesque, minus the wig and whiskers, without which the average Hebrew impersonator would be well nigh helpless. This new character makes Abe a much younger man than heretofore and his antics are therefore more amusing coupled as they are with the laughable, inimitable mannerisms that have made him so justly famous. "Once Upon a Time" is the title of the new show written by A. Douglas Levitt, and Mr. Reynolds is ably supported by Monica Redmond, Dot Leighton, Flossie Everette, Art Mayor George Mercer, Lloyd Peddrick and Spencer & Rose, with the usual "Spiegel Beauty Chorus" of twenty lovely lassies.

The Stage by F. J. McIsaac

BUNNY WENDELL IN "THE NIGHT BOAT" COLONIAL

GRANT MITCHELL AND ANN ANDREWS IN "THE CHAMPION" PARK SQ

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ESTHER HOWARD IN "THE SWEETHEART SHOP" TREMONT

ROSAMOND WHITESIDE IN "ERMINIE" GLOBE

QUEENIE SMITH IN "JUNE LOVE" ARLINGTON

ANNA WHEATON IN "VOGUES AND VANITIES" MAJESTIC

CHRYSTAL HERNE AND WILLIAM HARRIGAN IN "THE ACQUITTAL" HOLLIS.

IRENE BORDONI IN "AS YOU WERE" WILBUR

HILDA VAUGHN SOMERVILLE

FAY BAINTER IN "EAST IS WEST" SHUBERT

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A SCENE IN "LOVE" PARK

MARY HAY AND CREIGHTON HALE IN "WAY DOWN EAST" TREMONT TEMPLE.

MALDEN AUDITORIUM

As a harbinger of the Christmas season the Temple Stock Company will present next week at the Malden Auditorium, that most hilarious of farces, "Charley's Aunt." As a fun offering this is a true perennial and one of the exceedingly few stage offerings which deserves this botanical definition. It is really as fresh in its humorous powers today as when first presented over a generation ago.

BOSTON OPERA HOUSE

Two of the most popular offerings in the comic opera field are billed for this week at the Boston Opera House, where the Royal English Opera Company is now in the midst of a highly successful engagement.

"The Gondoliers," which will be sung the first part of the week, is a musical comedy dealing largely with Venetian life. It is famous for its sparkling tunes as well as for its comedy and romance. Jefferson De Angelis, the principal comedian of the company, will be seen in one of the most popular roles of his enormous repertoire.

"The Pirates of Penzance," which has been a perennial favorite with the musical comedy public ever since its first production, will be the bill beginning Thursday night, with Mr. De Angelis as Major-General Stanley, one of the most amusing roles in his repertoire.

The full chorus and orchestra, whose work under Max Bendix's leadership has been highly praised, will take part in both productions.

GAYETY THEATRE

Jean Bedini's "Peek-a-Boo," featuring Bobby Clark and Paul McCullough, the big super-revue that turned the Columbia Circuit topsy-turvy during the past season, enlarged and improved upon for the current season, is due at the Gayety Theatre for the coming week.

Two sterling comedians of country-wide reputation head the cast, Bobby Clark and Paul McCullough. Supporting them are such celebrities as Florence Darley, May Myers, Arnette Creighton, Ben Grinnell, Vernee, Freeman & Lewis, Harry Wilde, Kelso Brothers, Six High Steppers, Balzer Sisters, Pierette, Ignatz Pluto, Troupe of World's Worst Akrobats, Seven Musical Spillers, and a chorus of twenty-four pretty and shapely girls, who sing and dance in a manner which establishes them as a feature of the show.

CHRISTMAS FANTASY

Many who will remember the beautiful entertainment held in the Colonial Theatre two days before Christmas last year for the benefit of the Santa Claus Fund and which was pronounced the most beautiful affair of its kind ever presented in Boston, will be glad to know that a similar affair will be held on Saturday afternoon and evening, December 18th, in Jordan Hall, for the benefit of several of the most deserving charities for the poor children of Boston.

The first part of the Fantasy will as last year consist of a Mother Goose Revelry, entirely rewritten, and introducing over fifty-two characters, who will be impersonated by talented children and adults of rare ability. The favorite, Kate Ryan, will again be Mother Goose, and many other well known entertainers will have parts, as the favorite Apollo Quartette, Messrs. William Whittaker, Everett Glines, Edward McArthur and Eugene Campbell have volunteered as the Four Wise Men of Gotham, and sing a number of pretty arrangements, while the little tots, "Baby" Vivian Parker as Little Bo-peep, Bye-Bye Baby Bunting and others dance their little steps.

WALTER HAMPDEN

Mr. Walter Hampden will play his Boston engagement this season at the Arlington Theatre beginning Monday evening, December 20. During his brief stay Mr. Hampden will be seen in the following plays: "Hamlet," "Merchant of Venice," "Romeo and Juliet," "Taming of the Shrew" and a special revival of "The Servant in the House."

STEINERT CONCERTS

Six concerts of exceptional value and interest are to be given under the Steinert management at the Boston Opera House when ten of the greatest artists before the public today will appear. Mary Garden will open the series with a song recital December 19. Thus "Our Mary," as she has come to be called, world-famous in the opera house, will be heard in the singing of simple songs and some of her most celebrated operatic arias.

The second concert will be by Jan Kubelik.

The third concert, January 16, will be by Frances Alda, leading prima donna and wife of the director of the Metropolitan Opera House, New York, and Charles Hackett, the young tenor.

The fourth concert, January 23, will present Mme. Margaret Matzonauer, the contralto of such vocal range and dramatic power that she sings both soprano and contralto roles in opera, and Alfred Cortot, the French pianist and virtuoso, whose performance with the Boston Symphony Orchestra two years ago is still remembered.

Rosa Raisa and her husband, Giacomo Rimini, the baritone, will give the fifth concert, February 6. Long since Mme. Raisa won her place as an incomparable "Aida" as one of the few living dramatic sopranos who could sing the role of Bellini's "Norma."

Finally, at the sixth concert, March 27, will appear Rosa Ponselle, the young soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Company, who sprang in one dramatic performance from the vaudeville stage to a co-partner of Caruso on the operatic stage. With Miss Ponselle will appear the young Rumanian violinist, Raoul Vidas. He made his American debut in Carnegie Hall at the age of sixteen in November, 1918, with an effect which launched him fairly and well on his first American tour.

MUSIC NOTES

The first morning piano recital by Mme. Helen Hopekirk takes place at Steinert Hall on Monday morning, with the unusual announcement of "no free admissions." The lady has prepared a program suited to the mind of a student and equally to be enjoyed by the more advanced music-lover.

Gutia Casini, the Russian cellist, will assist Mary Garden in the first concert of the Steinert Concert Series at the Opera House, December 19. The last time this artist was heard in this country was with Mme. Sembrich. During the first year of the war Casini, who was concertizing in Germany, was seized and thrown into jail where he was compelled to remain for over two years.

ABE REYNOLDS WALDRON'S CASINO

ITALIAN CONCERT POSTPONED

The first of a series of Sunday night concerts to be given by the Italian Symphony Orchestra of seventy-five pieces, the first of which has been announced tomorrow evening, has been postponed for Sunday evening, December 12. This well known aggregation of skilled musicians, capably guided by Professor Raffaele Martino, will offer a long and varied program of classical selections. In addition to the orchestral program, Mlle. Alice Baschi, European contralto, will be the soloist.

LANCASTER THEATRE

William H. Crane, for two generations one of the most distinguished stars on the American stage, plays the role of the unctuous baron of high finance in "The Saphead," a screen version of the well-known stage success, "The Henrietta," which will be seen at the Lancaster for the first three days of next week. The companion photoplay features Enid Bennett in "Her Husband's Friend." There will be a change of program on Thursday, when will be seen Wallace Reid in "Always Audacious." The star has a dual role in this photoplay, which will thrill all who see it. On the same bill Olive Tell is the leading player in "Clothes." There will be a show Sunday night.

PARK THEATRE

Louise Glaum, the famous star of "Sex," "The Lone Wolf's Daughter," and "The Leopard Woman," is the star of "Love," J. Parker Read, Jr.'s, second contribution to the Associated Producers, which comes to the Park Theatre for one week, beginning Monday afternoon.

"Love," the scenario of which is by Louis Joseph Vance, is a heart-interest, human drama of tremendous scope and characteristically lavish production, showing the maternal love of an older sister for a younger one, love of lustful man for innocent woman and the pure love of two sweethearts, which certainly offered a strong topic for a screen drama.

The other feature will be "The Marriage Pit," which serves the ever-popular Frank Mayo as a starring vehicle. It is a story dealing with the stock exchange, having been taken from Frederick Isham's well-known novel, "Black Friday," and is said to be filled with many thrilling situations. A comedy and news weekly will complete the bill.

MATINEE FOR BLIND

Grant Mitchell and the members of his company will give a special matinee of "The Champion" at Selwyn's Park Square Theatre Monday afternoon for the blind of Boston. No admission will be charged and the blind will be admitted by presenting the invitations sent to them by Charles B. Hayes, director of the State division of the blind. Several teachers who assist Mr. Hayes in his remarkable work will act as ushers for the occasion.

McISAAC says that

"JUNE LOVE," with Else Alder and a splendid cast, is the biggest musical comedy ever to play the Arlington.

"THE NIGHT BOAT," at the Colonial, sails smoothly along with its fine cast and lively melodies.

GRANT MITCHELL, in "The Champion," seems to have duplicated his "Tailor-Made Man" hit at the Park Square.

MAUD FULTON, in "The Hummingbird," has a little comedy which is lightweight but laughable. Plymouth.

"THE SWEETHEART SHOP," at the Tremont, is a tuneful operetta which offers Harry K. Morton at the head of a good company.

"ERMINIE," with its brilliant cast, headed by Francis Wilson and De Wolf Hopper, is a standing model to all recent musical shows of what constitutes a good book and score. Globe.

SAM BERNARD and IRENE BORDONI, in "As You Were," flit from our midst in another three weeks. It's a fantastic little affair, well played.

"VOGUES AND VANITIES" is a brand new revue. The company is full of clever people. Many scenes, well done.

"EAST IS WEST," with Fay Bainter, has taken root here. The Shubert is always well filled.

EX-VAMP TELLS US SECRETS

By LOUISE GLAUM.

Success, when applied to a motion picture star, conveys to the public mind a picture of luxurious ease, tempermental didos and fabulous wealth.

Even at the expense of appearing iconoclastic, I am going to shatter a few of the illusions of the motion picture lover.

The motion picture star, whose work is based on sincere effort, is a slave to her profession. Ofttimes she works from 9 in the morning until 12 midnight. And this, mind you, before arrays of powerful lights, some stronger than the sun. The cost, frequently, is the eyes of the player—sooner or later, "the lights" "get" us all—unless we have very clever photographers, lighting experts and considerate directors. She must be her own wardrobe mistress. Personally I design most of my own clothes, though naturally a large number of exclusive models come to me from Paris and London.

So much for work, though I have barely touched the outlines of the subject.

Fabulous salaries?

Let me say that the published salaries of most of our players are not exaggerated. Yet what do they signify, after all?

Harkèn to this brief:

The screen actress' life rarely exceeds ten years. The sun shines for her on an average of five years. She must, therefore, earn enough in that time to care for her the rest of her life. Remuneration must be great. Then—out of her salary comes the matter of wardrobe—and incidental expenses!

Bear in mind, therefore: Miss Star must devote herself, assiduously, exclusively and completely to her art as long as she is before the camera and in demand with her public.

Those who fail to hear the clarion call of Hard Work fall by the wayside of public neglect.

The screen star's life is not a bed of roses—without the thorns.

Weighing Laughter.

Can laughter be considered a commodity? That is the question which was recently put to Bryant Washburn, who will be seen the initial half the next week at Loew's Orpheum Theatre, in "Burglar Proof."

"You just bet it can be considered a commodity, especially after taking into consideration the market value and the prevailing prices of laughter," declared Mr. Washburn. "Never in the history of the country, yes, even the world, have such enormous sums of money been paid for laughter producing material—and while laughter is the effect, I still maintain it is a salable commodity, for which the whole world is bidding its highest figure and exhausting all manner of means to obtain."

With the high valuation set on laugh-producing material and comedy, Bryant Washburn is worth his weight in gold many times over. The laughs in "Burglar Proof" outnumber those in any of his previous pictures by several score.

Motion Picture License.

Did it ever occur to you the physical scope attained in the presentation of a motion picture? No other art possesses the seemingly limitless license that the cinema does. The stage, which is the handmaiden of the picture, is circumscribed by the four walls of the building. In order to obtain stupendous effects stages have been built a whole block long, such as the Metropolitan Opera House, Century Theatre and the Hippodrome in New York. In these mammoth auditoriums spectacles of awe-inspiring hugeness have been presented. Yet there was still the limit, and the spoken word or the singing voice intensified the vastness of what was transpiring before the human eye and mind. In the motion picture scene this does not take place. The real scene is shown and not described.

One has but to see the great ice floe scenes in "Way Down East" to realize how mighty is the license of the motion picture when directed by such a mind and hand as the great Griffith.

ORPHEUM THEATRE

The program at Loew's Orpheum Theatre always contains many new and novel bits of diversion in the way of vaudeville and photoplay specials. For the initial half of the week Morey, Senna and Dean will offer their melodies, music and smiles, styled "Home, Sweet Home," which has been acclaimed one of the foremost musical offerings in vaudeville. A one-act satirical comedy, "Did You Vote?" will offer some timely quips and humor in the hands of William E. Morris, George L. Spaulding and Ella Clay. Other acts will include Play and Castleton, introducing new songs, comedy and dancing; Bulah Pearl, in exclusive songs and sayings; Melville and Stetson, Jrs., vodvil's versatile musical duo, and Harry La Toy, promoter of laughs, in smiles and tricks. The photoplay attraction will be Bryant Washburn in his latest laugh-producing cinema vehicle, "Burglar Proof."

GORDON'S SCOLLAY SQ.

Everyone seems to agree that next to perfection in production the chief requisite for a perfect motion picture is a real honest-to-goodness story. It's that type of a dramatic tale that David W. Griffith has based his latest photo-drama on for United Artists' release, and this wonderfully dramatic production, "The Love Flower," will be shown at Gordon's Scollay Square Olympia Theatre beginning Monday.

COLUMIBA THEATRE

A widely diversified bill is offered for the initial half of the week at Loew's Columbia Theatre, Washington and Motte streets, embracing four acts of up-to-the minute and novel vaudeville and the showing of that spectacular photoplay production, "The Saphead."

GORDON'S OLYMPIA

Stage settings of unusual beauty are assured in any photoplay bearing Cecil B. De Mille's name, and "Something to Think About," the Paramount picture which will be shown at Gordon's Olympia, beginning Monday, easily reaches the high standard set by previous De Mille productions.

'WHITE PLAGUE SCHOOL MENACE'

Dr. Chadwick Says 30 Per Cent. of Pupils Are Victims Prospective

"Approximately 30 per cent. of all the school children of Massachusetts are prospective tuberculosis victims. Unless drastic measures are taken to stop the disease thousands will die from it," declares Dr. Henry D. Chadwick of the West State Sanatorium in his endorsement of the Health Christmas Seal Sale being carried on by the Massachusetts Tuberculosis League.

"Tuberculosis is a disease of childhood and must be so recognized and treated," the doctor says.

"The production of consumption must be stopped. Treatment of children will stamp out lots of cases that later would become acute, he says.

"A long step forward in preventing the spread of tuberculosis could be made by a thorough physical examination of all underweight children in the public schools. Then remedy all their physical defects as far as possible and establish dental and nutrition clinics. School nurses as well as physicians are needed."

CAPPER BLAMES TRADE BOARD

Senator Will Introduce Bill to Stop All Speculation in Farm Products

By International News Service.

Washington, Dec. 4.—Responsibility for the "recent disastrous slump in the price of farm products" was declared today by Senator Arthur Capper, Republican of Kansas City, to rest chiefly on the "bears" of the Chicago Board of Trade.

Capper charged that the board "as now conducted is the world's greatest gambling institution."

"The farmer has lost more than a billion dollars by the gigantic bear raid on farm products on the Chicago Board of Trade," he said. "Brokers and commission houses have cleaned up forty millions in margins and commissions alone.

Capper's charges were embodied in a formal statement that he would introduce when Congress reconvenes Monday next a bill to "stop all gambling in wheat, corn, cotton and other farm products" by prohibitive taxation.

Capper declared the bill would "eliminate the wheat pit and blackboard" and "put out of business the thousands of wire houses and bucket shops operating in every city in the United States, by making it impossible for gamblers and speculators to deal on boards of trade."

GORDON'S OLD SOUTH

"Peaceful Valley," the well-known Sol Smith Russell success, which has a record of 5,207 stage performances, has at last been transferred to the screen, with Charles Ray, the popular cinema star, playing the leading role in his favorite part of a "hick."

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After Reading This Thanksgiving Editorial:

"'Way Down East,' D. W. Griffith's screen version of the old stage play, now on exhibition at Tremont Temple, is the greatest example which we have ever seen of the wonders of the moving picture art. Everybody ought to see it if for no other reason than to perceive the magic power which this form of expression has attained. It makes one question whether we are more than on the threshold of a momentous development. The scenes of snow and storm, of ice gorge and waterfall, appear with such amazing impressiveness as to prove in an extraordinary degree stimulating. One wonders how many of the world's stories in school and college, as well as of entertainment, are likely utimately to be told through this medium.

"One comes away from such an entertainment as this with a new perception of the wonders of facial expression. We hardly need a voice to express our views to our friends and associates when the muscles of the eyes and of the mouth will tell so magical a story as they do on the face of Miss Lillian Gish, the leading character on the screen. The music helps. The imitation of the sounds of nature also strengthens the impression. Color does something. No thoughtful person can sit through the play to its very end without concluding that he has been in contact with one of the unexampled wonders of the 20th century."—HERALD, Nov. 25.

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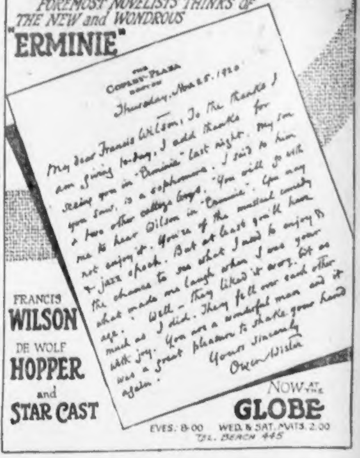

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Thursday, Nov. 25. 1920.

My dear Francis Wilson, To the thanks I am giving today, I add thanks for seeing you in "Erminie" last night. My son, your son, is a sophomore. I said to him & two other college boys, "You will go with me to hear Wilson in 'Erminie'. You may not enjoy it. You're of the musical comedy & jazz epoch. But at least you'll have the chance to see what I used to enjoy & what made me laugh when I was your age." Well — they liked it every bit as much as I did. They fell over each other with joy. You are a wonderful man and it was a great pleasure to shake your hand again.

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IRISH QUESTION IS DEBATED

Cohalan, Lloyd and Murphy Discuss All Angles at Providence Banquet

Providence, R. I., Dec. 4.—All angles of the Irish question were discussed at a dinner and meeting of the Economic Club held in the Narragansett Hotel here.

Justice Daniel F. Cohalan, of the Supreme Court of New York; Demarest Lloyd of Boston, president of the Loyal Coalition; John R. Murphy, a Boston attorney, and P. W. Wilson, a former member of the British Parliament, were the speakers.

Justice Cohalan declared that England has refused to give Ireland its freedom because of her anxiety for control of the seas and because Ireland would compete with her commercially. He urged against the campaign of reprisals in Ireland and denounced the "wholesale and indiscriminate murder," which, it is declared, is rampant in that country.

AMERICA'S INTEREST VITAL.

"Probably there is no international problem at present disturbing the world, the correct solution of which has greater interest to America," he said, "than the problem of Ireland.

"It does not need such a situation of affairs, as even the English leaders now admit to exist in Ireland, to make American interest in that country vital and intense and of a nature that may at any time call forth action similar to that taken in Cuba in the interests of humanity.

"It is becoming more and more evident that a campaign of reprisals is only another name for wholesale and indiscriminate murder; for savage and brutal blood lust; for wanton and unrestrained license, pillage, arson and destruction.

"England is armed to the teeth today only to maintain her ownership of the seas. That control can be taken from her only by our country. We must have freedom of the seas in order to survive. Can anyone doubt that we shall have it, no matter from what power it is to be wrung?

"Let us have it by all means, by peaceful efforts, by ways that will avoid the taking of lives and the destruction of property. Let it come in the way of increased liberty for mankind, including the people of England. Let it come in the way that will convince mankind of England's right to be considered among the nations that want freedom for all peoples."

DENOUNCES SINN FEIN.

Mr. Lloyd spoke at length, urging against the Sinn Fein propaganda in this country. He declared that Ireland never was a nation before England took control of it and that the Irish people voluntarily gave over its government to England. He said in part:

"The Irish question is not an issue between the Irish people and the British government. It is a quarrel between factions in Ireland itself. During the war the Sinn Fein movement struck several blows against the Allied cause, giving substantial aid and comfort to Germany.

"This Irish movement has been definitely balked in the realm of American politics. It is not finally disposed of. It will continue to operate in one form or another. The real object is not primarily concerned with the Irish republic or with England. It is a government of disintegration to cause irritation and dissention between allied nations, and particularly the English speaking peoples."

PLEADS FOR INDEPENDENCE.

John R. Murphy of Boston pleaded for the independence of Ireland. "For over 700 years," he said, "there has been no friendship between the people of Ireland and the government.

"Ireland has gone from bad to worse and the English government has failed. Ireland has been subjected to insults by the government. The Irish people under Redmond recruited for the English army, but the government took their units and scattered them among the English regiments.

"This was the first mistake. The second was when the government agreed with Carson that the Home Rule bill, which passed in 1914, would not be allowed to become a law of the land. That is what they are doing today.

"The methods used in Ireland now remind me of those used the Mexicans. Does it look humane to have men shot down without a trial? What right has any government to reprisal where the innocent suffer?"

R. W. Wilson of New York, a former member of Parliament and representative of the London Daily Mail, pheld England in the present trouble upheld England in the present trouble.

FIREMEN ELECT COOK HEAD OF RUSSELL CLUB

Frang B. Cook of tower 2 was elected president of the Russell Club of the Boston fire department at its annual meeting. The other officers elected are: First vice-president, James J. Higgins, engine 19; second vice-president, James Hughes, repair shop; secretary, Michael McGonagle, engine 33; treasurer, James P. Gallagher, ladder 10.

Stephen L. King of ladder 7, Timothy Donahue of engine 22, and John J. Kelley of the repair shop were appointed as the committee on finance.

The following were elected directors:

District 1, James J. Eagan, ladder 2; district 2, J. J. McDermott, engine 36; district 3, W. E. Keenan, ladder 8; district 4, J. J. [illegible], engine 4; district 5, J. F. McNamara, engine 10; district 6, Charles B. Lynch, engine 43; district 7, J. J. Regan, engine 22; district 8, J. J. Devine, engine 37; district 9, [illegible] Outerbridge, engine 23; district 10, [illegible] Marshall, engine 17; district 11, T. F. Muldoon, ladder 14; district 12, M. J. Haskins, engine 28; district 13, F. P. Walsh, engine 50; district 14, T. H. Kelly, engine 49, and district 15, D. J. Gill, engine 48.

NAMES HER MOTHER AS CORESPONDENT IN SUIT

New York, Dec. 4.—It became known today through a reversal of judgment for the defendant, in the suit for divorce filed in Bronx county by Lillian Gelbman against Morris Gelbman, that Mrs. Gelbman had named her mother, Mrs. Mary Silver, as corespondent in the divorce suit.

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JAIL ALLEGED HEAD OF STAMP COUNTERFEITERS

William J. McCarthy, prohibition director, has arrested Louis Dunnemera of No. 64 Spear street, Melrose, whom he charges with being the ring leader of a band which is counterfeiting and selling spurious bottled-in-bond whiskey labels throughout New England.

What are Your Ideas on Santa Claus?

Are YOU in favor of exiling Santa Claus?

Do YOU believe that he should be "kicked out in the cold?"

Do YOU think that children should be taught to think of the serious things of life at Christmas, instead of keeping up the tradition of jolly old Kris Kringle?

Whatever your belief, the American would be glad to hear from you on the matter.

Write to the Santa Claus Editor, Boston American, giving your views.

PRICE CUT MOVE BY CLOTHIERS

Wants Unions to Maintain Standard of Production and Avert Cut in Wages

New York, Dec. 4.—Clothing manufacturers have opened negotiations with the union in an effort to bring down the prices of clothing. This became known when the market committee of the Clothing Manufacturers' Association of New York announced the passage of a resolution to continue in conference with the union for fixing labor conditions conducive to a further drop in clothing costs.

The manufacturers, according to William Bandler, president of the association, declare that materials and other items entering into the cost of a suit, have dropped, and it only remains for labor to work out with them a way to cut production costs. He said it would not be necessary to lower materially the earning power of operatives to gain this end, but a daily standard of production is needed.

ALLEN ADVISES BANK REFORMS

Suggests Changes of Laws in His Report to 1921 Legislature

Bank Commissioner Joseph C. Allen submitted his report to the 1921 Legislature this afternoon, asking for a number of changes in the banking laws.

Among them is one making it illegal for anyone to make use of a foreign word having the meaning to "bank," "banking" or "trust," in designating their business, unless the business actually is that of a bank or trust company. This law is designed to protect foreigners from unscrupulous people.

"There is nothing in the laws of the State," says Allen, "to prevent a person, firm or corporation from using a foreign word having a meaning the same as or similar to bank, banking or trust, and thereby defeating the laws which permit the use of such words only by banks or trust companies."

The commissioner recommends the following changes in the laws regulating trust companies:

Forbidding any person to be a director of a trust company unless he is the record owner of not less than ten shares of unpledged stock, and stipulating that not more than one-third of the directors of a trust company shall be directors in any other such corporation.

Extending the call for returns from trust companies from not oftener than five to not oftener than six times a year.

Amending the law requiring every trust company chartered from 1896 to set aside a guaranty fund amounting to 25 per cent. of its capital, exempting those companies which have a surplus fund equal to 25 per cent. or more of its capital stock outstanding. The commissioner holds that it is unfair to enforce the law in those cases where the companies have large surpluses.

The Inside of the Cup

Follow This Serial Here Then Watch for It in Motion Pictures Directed by Albert Capellani

"The Inside of the Cup," published here serially by permission of the MacMillan Co., has been made into a motion picture by Cosmopolitan Productions and will be released as a Paramount Artcraft picture.

By Winston Churchill

Author of "Richard Carvel," "The Crisis" and Many Other Novels of World-Wide Popularity.

CHAPTER XV.—Continued

The genuineness of her passion was unmistakable. His whole being responded to it.

"Have you always felt like this?" he asked.

"Like what?"

"Indignant—that so many people were suffering."

His question threw her into reflection.

"Why, no," she answered, at length, "I never thought—I see what you mean. Four or five years ago, when I was going to socialist lectures, my sense of all this—inequality, injustice, was intellectual. I didn't get indignant over it, as I do now when I think of it."

"And why do you get indignant now?"

"You mean," she asked, "that I have no right to be indignant, since I do nothing to attempt to better conditions?"

"Not at all," Hodder disavowed. "Perhaps my question is too personal, but I didn't intend it to be. I was merely wondering whether any event or series of events had transformed a mere knowledge of these conditions into feeling."

"Oh!" she exclaimed, but not in offence. Once more she relapsed into thought. And as he watched her, in silence, the colors that flowed and ebbed in her cheeks registered the coming and going of memories; of incidents in her life hidden from him, arousing in the man the torture of jealousy. But his faculties, keenly alert, grasped the entire field; marked once more the empirical trait in her that he loved—her unflinching willingness to submit herself to an experiment.

"I suppose so," she replied at length, her thoughts naturally assuming speech. "Yes, I can see that it is so. Yet my experience has not been with these conditions with which Mr. Bentley, with which you have been brought in contact, but with the other side—with luxury. Oh, I am sick of luxury! I love it, I am not at all sure that I could do without it, but I hate it, too, I rebel against it. You can't understand that."

"I think I can," he answered her.

"When I see the creatures it makes," she cried, "I hate it. My profession has brought me in such close contact with it that I rebelled at last, and came out here very suddenly, just to get away from it in the mass. To renew my youth, if I could. The gardens were only an excuse. I had come to a point where I wanted to be quiet, to be alone, to think, and I knew my father would be going away. So much of my girlhood was spent in that park that I know every corner of it, and I—obeyed the impulse. I wanted to test it."

"Yes," he said, absorbed.

"I might have gone to the mountains or the sea, but some one would have come and found me, and I should have been bound again—on the wheel. I shouldn't have had the strength to resist. But here—have you ever felt," she demanded, "that you craved a particular locality at a certain time?"

He followed her still.

"That is how I felt. These associations, that park, the thought of my girlhood, of my mother, who understood me as no one else has since, assumed a certain value. New York became unbearable. It is just there, in the very centre of our modern civilization, that one sees the crudest passions. Oh, I have often wondered whether a man, however disillusioned, could see New York as a woman sees it when the glamour is gone. We are the natural prey of the conqueror still. We dream of independence——"

She broke off abruptly.

This confession, with the sudden glimpse it gave him of the fires within her that would not die down, but burned now more fiercely than ever, sent the blood to his head. His face, his temples, were hot with the fierceness of his joy in his conviction that she had revealed herself to him. Why she had done so, he could not say. . . This was the woman whom the world thought composed; who had triumphed over its opposition, compelled it to bow before her; who presented to it that self-possessed, unified personality by which he had been struck at their first meeting. Yet, paradoxically, the personality remained,—was more elusive than before. A thousand revelations, he felt, would not disclose it. He was no nearer to solving it now. . . Yet the fires burned! She, too, like himself, was aflame and unsatisfied! She, too, had tasted success, and had revolted!

"But I don't get anywhere," she said wearily. "At times I feel this ferment, this anger that things are as they are, only to realize what helpless anger it is. Why not take the world as it appears and live and feel, instead of beating against the currents?"

"But isn't that inconsistent with what you said a while ago as to a new civilization?" Hodder asked.

"Oh, that Utopia has no reality for me. I think it has, at moments, but it fades. And I don't pretend to be consistent. Mr. Bentley lives in a world of his own; I envy him with all my heart. I love and admire him, he cheers and soothes me when I am with him. But I can't see—whatever he sees. I am only aware of a remorseless universe grinding out its destinies. We Anglo-Saxons are fond of deceiving ourselves about life, of dressing it up in beautiful colors, of making believe that it actually contains happiness. All our fiction reflects this—that is why I never cared to read English or American novels. The Continental school, the Russians, the Frenchmen, refuse to be deluded. They are honest."

"Realism, naturalism," he mused, recalling a course in philosophy, "one would expect the Russian, in the conditions under which he lives, possessing an artistic temperament combined with a paralysis of the initiative and a sense of fate, to write in that way. And the Frenchmen, Renan, Zola, and the others who have followed, are equally deterministic, but viewing the human body as a highly organized machine with which we may amuse ourselves by registering its sensations. These literatures are true in so far as they reflect the characteristics of the nations from which they spring. That is not to say that the philosophies of which they are the expressions are true. Nor is it to admit that such a literature is characteristic of the spirit of America, and can be applied without change to OUR life and atmosphere. We have yet, I believe, to develop our own literature, which will come gradually as we find ourselves."

To Be Continued Monday

BRAVESFIELD FILLED FOR B. C. BATTLE

Stellar Performers in Today's Great Gridiron Climax

RECORD CROWD CHEERS RIVALS

Boston Goes Into Game Favorite Despite Absence of Several Stars

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were just as confident as the team that has twice humbled Yale.

'Twas a broth of a battle—at Braves Field this afternoon.

A battle of that calibre always can be counted upon when the offspring of Old Erin start mixing things, and today's Boston College-Holy Cross program shows few performers whose names do not indicate such ancestry.

Victory Means Glory for Both Elevens

But there were other things besides, concerned in today's great battle. To Boston College a victory today will carry with it the soundest claim for the Eastern college football title and undisputed possession of the Catholic college championship of the East. To Holy Cross a win today will gain for the Purple the latter honor, and an enviable position in the rating of Eastern college teams.

And topping off these urges, will be the natural rivalry that exists and for many years has existed between the two Catholic colleges of the old Bay State. Enough to cause each eleven to offer the best brand of football it is capable of offering, and there is no question that the best brand of each is "some" football.

Boston College rules the favorite, and unless the breaks go all against the local team there seems every reason to count on a B. C. win. The odds in B. C.'s favor have been variously quoted. Three to two, two to one, and ten to four have been the respective bases on which several wagers have been made, and according to report there has been a decided scarcity of Holy Cross backers.

The Maroon and Gold team starts today's game without Jim Fitzpatrick, its kicking and forward-passing ace, and without Jim Kennedy, who has so ably quarterbacked the eleven since Corrigan's injury in the opening game of the season; while Tom Swan, who has been Fitzy's substitute, is not in the best of physical shape. Owing to able substitutes, however, it is not expected that the team's strength will be greatly lessened.

The Purple coach presents its strongest array. The Holy Cross team has been singularly free from hampering injuries this season, and the two weeks' layoff that preceded today's contest has served in healing all minor hurts that may have existed among the Purple players.

Holy Cross Strong Defensive Outfit

To date the visiting array has shone best as a defensive combination. It held the powerful Syracuse eleven scoreless and forced Harvard to content itself with a field goal in its first game of the season. But, according to Worcester reports, a real attack has been built in the past two weeks which is calculated to net at least one touchdown, and the Purple team hopes to score that tally early and then rely on its defensive ability to make that early score the winning points of the game.

B. C. has a strong defensive team, however, for Yale has been the only eleven to cross its goal line. Yale did so twice, but the only other points registered against the locals was a field goal by Marietta. In addition to its defensive showing, B. C. has showed a real attack in every game, and even with Fitzpatrick and Kennedy out of the play, B. C. followers believe they have the offensive power to outmatch any point total Holy Cross can secure.

There are many interesting individual duels listed for the afternoon. Roderick of B. C. and Gagnon of H. C., the most brilliant backfield men of the two teams, are out to out-star each other in scintillating runs. Corrigan of B. C. and Smith of H. C. were rivals for the same job at Newton Heights last season, and while Corrigan won the quarterback assignment at B. C. last year, Smith, who since has transferred to the Worcester school, believes he now has his chance to show up his former conqueror.

Heaphy of B. C. and Gildea of H. C., the respective pivots have an old issue to thresh out in the middle of the line. In fact there is scarcely an opposing combination that doesn't offer a personal issue between the respective players.

Record Crowd Out to Watch Rivals

Indications were that the greatest crowd ever to witness a Greater Boston game outside the Harvard Stadium would be found on hand when the contest got under way. Twenty thousand tickets had been disposed of two days ago and a steady stream of football fans have been avidly purchasing the pasteboards since that time, while thousands more were early on hand at Braves Field to make sure of gaining seats in the monster park.

Two o'clock was the scheduled time for the game and every effort has been made to get the contest promptly under way, in order that the early darkness of this early Winter day will not interfere with the play or with the enjoyment of the onlookers.

Big Crowd of Purple Rooters Present

At least 5,000 rooters from Worcester were in the stands when the whistle blew. Scores of the local supporters of the Purple traveled to Boston in the special train along with the student cheering section and the band, while more made the trip by automobile.

A mass meeting of the students of Holy Cross College was held in Fenwicks Hall last night. The students rehearsed original songs and yells to be used at the game today.

The students left for Boston on the 11:40 train. This train carries two extra coaches for the benefit of the Worcester fans.

"Chick" Gagnon, flashy Holy Cross halfback, the main cog in the attack launched at the powerful Maroon and Gold line.

Captain Conway, brilliant leader of Holy Cross, is shown above at the left; in centre is Phil Corrigan, pilot of the husky B. C. machine; on right Healy, a star in the stubborn Purple array. Below, on left, is Simondinger, one of O'Donnell's speedy backs. Next to him Heaphy, Boston's great centre, preparing to snap the ball.

Records of Braves Field Rivals

B. C.		HOLY CROSS	
20—Fordham	0	0—Harvard	3
21—Yale	13	75—Submarines	0
12—Springfield	0	17—Springfield	0
34—B. U.	0	14—Dartmouth	27
37—Tufts	0	3—Syracuse	0
13—Marietta	3	36—Colby	0
30—Georgetown	0	32—N. H. State	0
167	16	177	30

ST. JAMES AND DE PAUL PLAY

Haverhill Contest to Decide Catholic Prep School Title of Country

ST. JAMES H.	DE PAUL ACAD.
Tannian, l.e.	r.e., Sterns
Ryan, l.t.	r.t., Erden
Deneucour, l.g.	r.g., Higgins
Connors, c.	c., Morgan
Holland, r.g.	l.g., Hogan
Cullen, r.t.	l.t., McMullen
Holloway, r.e.	l.e., Ford
Moynihan, q.b. (capt.)	q.b., Donnir
Donahue, l.h.b.	r.h.b., Rattigan
Cronin, r.h.b.	l.h.b., Wendt (capt.)
Minihan, f.b.	f.b., Spellman

Referee, Tom McCabe. Umpire, Arthur Duffey. Head linesman, Albert J. Woodlock. Field Judge, Fred Hoey.

Haverhill, Dec. 4.—"East is East and West is West, and never the twain shall meet," said Kipling, but Rudyard knew nothing of American football when he tore off the verse, for St. James, pride of the eastern lightweight football teams, today faced De Paul, the rangy Chicago eleven, to decide the Catholic prep school championship of the country.

When referee Tom McCabe exploded his whistle at the zero hour of 2 this afternoon at the Haverhill stadium, both teams leaped at each other and the gridiron combat was on in the presence of 7,000 wildly excited fans, including 2,000 pupils from St. James School. The De Paul squad arrived first at the stadium with Coach Paupa directing the work of his proteges before the game.

Coach Edward Carroll, former Georgetown University luminary, led his St. James squad on the field shortly after. Despite a disadvantage in weight, the native team was favored to win.

Each eleven had finished its preliminary season with success. St. James lost but one contest, that a practice game with the far heavier Boston College High team, 19 to 17. The following games were won:

St. James 13, Pinkerton Academy 0; St. James 7, Portsmouth 0; St. James 0, Methuen 7; St. James 32, Somersworth 0; St. James 45, Danvers 0; St. James 20, South Boston 6; St. James 28, Methuen 0.

De Paul has led the Catholic School League of Chicago for thirteen years. The 1920 record is: De Paul 13, Waller 6; De Paul 14, St. Procopius 0; De Paul 41, East Chicago 6; De Paul 0, St. Mel's 6; De Paul 6, St. Ritas 14; De Paul 6, St. Ignatius 0; De Paul 79, De Lasalle 0.

De Paul ran up 153 points to opponents' 26, and St. James made 177 points to rivals' 32. St. James was a much lighter team, but this was overcome by speed in open plays. De Paul averaged 148 pounds and St. James 135½. There was a great crowd present.

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JOHNSTONE TO LEAD BROWN TEAM IN 1921

Providence, R. I., Dec. 4.—George C. Johnstone of New York city was selected to lead the Brown football team for the season of 1921. Johnstone was on the S. A. T. C. team in 1917, and has held down a regular tackle position for the past two years.

Prominent Golfers Are Opposed to Change

By ROBERT E. HARLOW.

Reports from four of the largest golfing centres in the United States—New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Atlanta—are to the effect that the Western Golf Association will find little support in those sections for its proposed new national association. With Boston clubs also out of the running, it is hard to see how the Western can make its organization national.

In answer to a question as to how the effort to form a new association was received in various sections, golf writers have replied that sentiment in their section favored the continuation of the control of the game by the United States Golf Association. Some of the communications upon the subject follow:

Southern Golfers Favor U. S. G. A.

(Special Dispatch.)

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 4.—Sentiment in this section does not appear favorable to the proposed new American Golf Association. Most of the prominent golfers and golfing officials in this part of the South are inclined to conservatism, and appear to regard the new project as an unwarranted effort to get away from St Andrews, with nothing to be gained by such an outbreak of radicalism.

There also is a strong tinge of sentiment attracting Southern golfers to the older school of the "birthplace of golf," to which they feel themselves bound through the United States Golf Association. Atlanta clubs are members of both the U. S. G. A. and the Western G. A., but all their playing is under the rulings of the U. S. G. A., and the general feeling is that their allegiance is to that body, first and foremost.

Woodie Platt Says He Likes Excitement

(Special Dispatch.)

Philadelphia, Dec. 4.—"I deplore all effort to turn the game of golf from a sport into a game of pinochle," stated Robert W. Lesley, president of the Golf Association of Philadelphia, here today. "It is for this reason that I am personally against the latest move of the W. G. A., which would apparently take over the government of the United States Golf Association.

"The sentiment of the local clubs, as I find it, is that they will remain loyal to the national body. They must all be members of the U. S. G. A. before they can join the local association and it follows we will support the national body."

J. Wood Platt, the leading player of the local district, said that a "little action" would be welcome during the dull Winter months and thought a war would be highly entertaining.

"A Westener licked me last year in the national," he stated, "and I hope they don't all back out of the championship, because I would like to get back at 'em. Anyhow, a little excitement never made me mad, so I hope they go to it."

Pittsburgh Is Against Golf Revolution

(Special Dispatch)

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 4.—Pittsburgh golfers will not allign themselves with any movement to revolutionize American golf which it is believed will be accomplished if the proposed steps of the Western Golf Association are carried out. While they believe that reforms are needed in the United States Golf Association and that real golfers should have more representation than the "aristocratic" clique which has been reigning for years, nevertheless it is believed that this can be accomplished without resorting to warlike measures.

"I am opposed to any changes in the rules which will tend to destroy the international aspect of golf," George A. Ormiston, the veteran golfer and president of the Western Pennsylvania Golf Association, said today. "Golf is an intrnational sport and it should be preserved. The visit of the British golfers to this country and the visit of the American golfers to England last year has promoted the best interests of international golf, and the spirit which now prevails should be fostered by the golfers here and abroad.

"It may be that local conditions require changes in the rules as these conditions do not prevail in England, but I am opposed to any revolutionary steps. If we take them we will destroy the sport."

Blatant Blare, Is Way New Yorker Puts It

Kerr Petrie, writing in the New York Herald, expresses the New York view, as follows:

"As far as can be gathered from informal discussion of the subject by metropolitan linksmen, the latest blatant blare from Chicago to the effect that the Western Association again threatens to usurp the powers of the U. S. G. A. and wield the reins of national golf government is not going to agitate many in this section of the country.

"Admitting that many of the suggestions advanced from time to time by the W. G. A. have been of value, this organization has been too openly antagonistic and unfair to the parent body to win the admiration of a large and influential part of the golfing clan.

WESTERN TEAM AT FITCHBURG

Cleveland Tech and Fitchburg High Clash in Intersectional Contest

FITCHBURG.	CLEVELAND.
Nourie, l.e.	r.e., Gehrke
Laiko, l.t.	r.t., Meyers
Buckley, l.g.	r.g., Kruse
Allison, c.	c., Wagner
Peabody, r.g.	l.g., Plain
Hodge, r.t.	l.t., Kutler
Cote, r.e.	l.e., Dany
Shea, q.b.	q.b., Schaeffer
Tarpey, l.h.b.	r.h.b., Hansbary
Sawyer, r.h.b.	l.h.b., Peters
Dunn, f.b.	f.b., Fisher

Joseph P. Pendleton, Bowdoin, referee. Edward F. Loughlin, Harvard, umpire. E. MacNaughton, Cornell, field judge. Frank W. Lowe, Dartmouth, linesman.

Fitchburg, Dec. 4. — Cleveland West Technical High and Fitchburg High clashed at Crocker field this afternoon.

The Cleveland boys were a husky, happy lot, 2,918 pounds of vigorous youth, and made a strong impression on Fitchburgers. The natives had 2,728 pounds to combat the invaders.

As the teams started the game the visitors had an average weight of 169 pounds, against 153.3 for Fitchburg.

Coach Hill of West Tech said before the game:

"My players are in fine trim for a good game. They are anxious to play the Fitchburg team and promise the school and spectators a hard, clean and determined contest. They know that more than weight is necessary to win games."

RECORD ENTRY LIST FOR MOTOR BOAT SHOW

New York, Dec. 4.—Final details have been completed for the sixteenth National Motor Boat show, to be held in Grand Central Palace, December 10-18. Holding the show early has made the entry list a record one, and the fact that the roads are still clear is bringing the heavy boats to New York early. Already one large craft, built by Berger Brothers, Manitowoc, Wis., has arrived, completing the journey in record time.

The exposition will occupy two floors of the Palace, and beside the boats there will be more than one hundred engines and accessory exhibits. A moving picture theatre is being built, and many of this year's racing events will be shown on the screen.

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Miller to Captain

The Boston Y. M. C. A. basket ball squad has been cut to ten players and H. Miller elected to lead the team. The line-up, with the exception of Miller, will be composed of new men.

NEW BASKET BALL RULES FAIL TO FIND FAVOR AFTER TRYOUT

Indoor Sports ☘ By TAD ☘ Not a Single Reason

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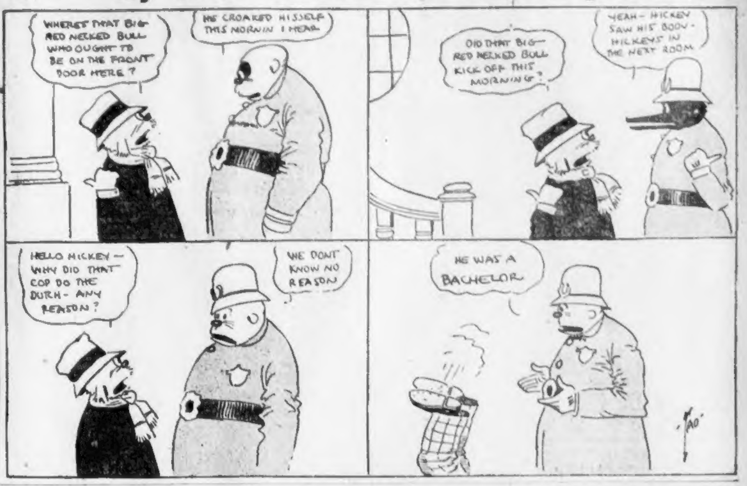
NO- WE DONT SELL ORANGES OUTRIGHT - WE'RE TAKING BIDS ON THEM NOW THOUGH - WOT'LL YOU BID FOR A DOZEN?
I JUST WANTED MY HUSBAND TO KNOW WHAT PRICES ARE - YOU KNOW WARREN WOULDNT BELIEVE ME - HE THINKS I'M EXTRAVAGANT
DO YOU SELL ONIONS OR JUST LEASE 'EM?
WARREN OUGHTA SEE HER GRAB TAXIS TO RIDE THREE BLOCKS
YES AN' IF SHED TELL HIM WHAT PAINT AN POWDER COSTS HER HED UNDERSTAND - DONT SHE PAINT? SHE'S A WALKIN' BARBER POLE
SHE WINS THE BOX OF ACCORDION PLAITED IRISH LINEN WRITING PAPER
INDOOR SPORTS
TAKING YOUR HUBBY TO THE FRUIT AND VEGETABLE STORE TO SHOW HIM JUST WHAT PRICES ARE
TAD


WHERE'S THAT BIG RED NECKED BULL WHO OUGHT TO BE ON THE FRONT DOOR HERE?
HE CROAKED HISSELF THIS MORNIN I HEAR
DID THAT BIG RED NECKED BULL KICK OFF THIS MORNING?
YEAH - HICKEY SAW HIS BODY - HICKEYS IN THE NEXT ROOM
HELLO HICKEY - WHY DID THAT COP DO THE DUTCH - ANY REASON?
WE DONT KNOW NO REASON
HE WAS A BACHELOR
TAD

TOO STRICT DECLARE COACHES

Game Under New Code at Harvard Gym Not to Liking of Experts

A new era in basketball was inaugurated at the Harvard College gymnasium, when hundreds of referees, coaches and club directors attended an exhibition game between two Harvard College quintets.

George Tower, originator of the new basketball rules, explained the game under the new order. George Hoyt, well known Boston referee, umpired the game from the sidelines.

Although general opinion of the managers and coaches seemed to favor some new ruling, the majority were somewhat dissatisfied with some of the stricter rules.

Under the new laws a player must follow the ball at all times, or at least face the player who has the ball. A foul is called when any guard faces a forward when the ball is in play elsewhere on the floor. No attacking from the rear is allowed and the player must have the ball touch the floor before he takes a step, if he wishes to dribble.

When a foul is called and the player shoots the basket, the ball must touch the backboard before it is in play again. Four personal fouls render the player ineligible for further play.

CONSIDER GOLF WAR MOVE UNFORTUNATE

New York, Dec. 4.—The United States Golf Association announced that it considers as "unfortunate" the step taken by the directors of the Western Golf Association Tuesday in proposing to make that body the controlling authority of the game in this country.

"We do not believe that the golfers of the United States want two ruling golf bodies and several different codes of rules, as this will lead to great confusion," declared the statement issued by Secretary W. D. Vandepool.

"We want it thoroughly understood that we are always ready to discuss and confer with any golf body and to have an exchange of our views."

A constitutional amendment which would give the West increased representation on the executive committee was adoptd by that body last Monday, it was stated, and will be submitted for approval at the annual meeting January 7. The amendment provides for foour additional committeemen, "who shall be representatives of four different recognized golf associations of the United States."

FRIEDMAN BACK FOR GO WITH MONTREAL

Abe Friedman, the classy bantamweight who has been out of the ring for two months with a broken hand, is ready to don the gloves again and would like nothing better than a crack at Montreal for his starter. Friedman returned from Youngstown, Ohio, where Bonesetter Reese has been taking care of his hands.

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"Y" Meet December 18

The Boston Y. M. C. A. will hold an open handicap athletic meet on Saturday, December 18. The following are the events: 50-yard dash, 300-yard run, 600-yard run, mile run, relay race, three standing broad jumps, twelve-pound shotput and running high jump. Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded to the winners.

TAD'S TIDBITS

THEY WERE ALL OUT OF SHAPE

Strange, isn't it, that all sporting writers, speaking of a heavyweight champ who lost his title, invariably insist that the loser was OUT OF SHAPE.

From the days of John L. Sullivan right down to Jess Willard, that old squawk has gone up.

Writers who were on the spot at the time and writers who were three thousand miles away say the same thing.

Every heavyweight titleholder from John L. down who lost his laurels went into the ring a favorite in the betting. We don't include Tommy Burns as he was a gift champion.

Sullivan's backers offered 5 to 1 that he would beat the dude Corbett. Betting men rarely wager on sympathy. Sullivan must have looked good in order to call for such odds. After the K. O., they said that John L. wasn't right.

Corbett was favorite over Fitzsimmons at Carson City, yet after his bout backers insisted that he was overtrained.

Fitzsimmons was a sweet favorite over Jeffries. He stopped a punch with his chin and listened to the numerals. Fitz himself declared that he wasn't right, as he had dallied with the gin bottle on the day of the fray.

Jeffries, after training a year for Johnson, got himself into splendid shape and fought fifteen gruelling rounds, only to be stopped. Experts at his training quarters pronounced him physically perfect. So did the examining physicians. He met his master, though, and then once more the Jeffries backers, including scribes who picked him, declared that he was but a shell.

Jess Willard trained for six months before he met Jack Dempsey at Toledo. He worked hard at Toledo, too. He was in good shape and his friends were satisfied. He met a better man in Dempsey, however, and was beaten. He, too, was a favorite. Now they insist that Jess wasn't in shape.

Isn't it strange that these wise guys who declare the losers in the heavyweight class to be out of shape, never bet on the winner? There hasn't been a heavyweight champion yet who was on the short end.

They are all favorites until the big smear comes. **THEN**, boys—**THEN** the scribes get up on their hind legs and yell: **"HE NEVER WAS A CHAMP"** or **THE BIG BUM WASN'T IN ANY SORT OF SHAPE AT ALL."**

It's an even money bet right now that a year after Dempsey hears the Cuckoos calling, the scribes will swear that he was stiffened because he was slack in his training and—we've never had a heavyweight champ who takes the care of himself that Jack does.

Mr. Meehan a Close Second Again

Roy McCormick, light-heavyweight boxing champion of England, was awarded two decisions over Willie Meehan of San Francisco in a ten-round bout at Portland, Ore., the other night. McCormick received the first decision in the fourth round when Meehan hit him low, the referee raising McCormick's hand in token of victory.

Meehan crawled out of the ring and McCormick was taken to his corner. After a wait of several minutes McCormick announced that he refused to take the fight on a foul and was ready to continue with the bout. Meehan returned to the ring and the two resumed fighting. After six more rounds, in which McCormick had a decided advantage, McCormick again received the decision.

Presence of Mind

One local scribe, in commenting upon Welling's gameness, says: "Most anyone would be game with a $15,000 end staring him in the face."

True, Welling did get a flat guarantee of $15,000 smacks. He had presence of mind enough for that. His game showing, however, had nothing to do with the gilt. Welling never did show the white feather in any of his fights.

We must, however, give him credit for his presence of mind. In that he reminds us of Sam Morton, of vaudeville fame. Sam used to tell of his wife in the street car accident.

She bawled him out for taking her on the ride and he retorted:

"If it wasn't for me you wouldn't have had a nickel damages. You got $3,000, didn't you? If I didn't have the presence of mind to kick you in the face you wouldn't have had a cent."

Willie Ritchie Likes the Frenchman

Willie Ritchie, former lightweight champion of the world, is one of the many Carpentier boosters. Willie says that if the frog eater is wise he will dance away from the ferocious Dempsey for four or five rounds and keep Jack on the jump.

"Dempsey usually beats his man early," says Willie. "They all try to trade wallops with him. The way to beat him is to keep away and make him anxious. If the Frenchman is as foxy as we are led to believe, he can sneak one over and finish it. We all know that he packs a nasty kick in that right."

FAMILY DOCTOR IS PAGED FOR BULLDOG

New Haven, Dec. 4.—"What Yale football needs is the family doctor," says the Yale alumni weekly, in a general review of the football season.

"In our opinion," says the weekly, "Yale football does not need a professional specialist to put it on its feet again; the family doctor will respond if called. And by this we mean that, while Harvard and Princeton have been building up home coaching schools these past few years, Yale has struck blindly out for miracle makers and forgotten the experience of the days when Yale football was great.

SOLDIERS GET GAME IN MAINE WOODS

Portland, Me., Dec. 4.—Proof that Uncle Sam's soldiers are good shots was shown in a truck load of big game from the wilds of Washington County, shot by Sergeants Gilbert Griffin, Robert Lee and John Dodge, all stationed at Fort McKinley, and Frank Fuessel, for many years an army blacksmith. The party brought back an 815-pound bull moose, two buck deer weighing 212 and 190 pounds respectively, two big does and dozens of partridges, rabbits and ducks. Fu[illegible] shot the moose after an all-da[illegible]se of thirty miles.

POP GEERS HAS HOME RIVAL

John Thomas, Also From Cotton Country, Winning a Place in Spotlight

Tennessee gave to the harness turf its most picturesque figure, also one of its greatest reinsmen in the person of "Pop" Geers, dean of the Grand Circuit drivers.

Now another reinsman from the cotton country is getting into the spotlight, and from present indications will cut considerable figure on the major racing circuit in 1921.

This is John Thomas, who, until the season just closed, had confined his operations mainly to the half-mile track circuits, occasionally dropping in at a Grand Circuit meeting.

This season, however, he followed the circuit through with a "one-horse" stable, his sole reliance being the pacing stallion, John R. Braden, 2:02¾.

John R. Braden was a pretty handy sort of a pacer to have around the past season, for in addition to two or three remunerative side trips to half-mile track meetings, he was in the money on twelve different occasions on the Grand Circuit, his winnings there being in the neighborhood of $6,000, and he was racing against the best stake pacers in the country.

Thomas will have a larger stable the coming season, for he has arranged to train the horses of the Alabama breeder, W. S. Harlan, and that means that he will have two of the leading winners of the 1920 season to race—Bogalusa, 2:06¾, the champion two-year-old trotter of the past season, and Edna Early, 2:03¼, third among the money-winning pacers of the season.

STAN ZBYSZKO TO BECOME CITIZEN

Stanislaus Zbyszko expects to become one of our valued citizens and has taken steps to procure his first papers. The giant Pole is already the owner of a very fine Summer home at Old Orchard, Me., and a short time ago he purchased a number of additional seaside lots at Old Orchard with the intention of building a number of homes for speculation.

In an interview today, Stanislaus stated that he is in perfect condition for his contest at Mechanics Building Monday night with Renato Gardini.

CLINTON WILLING TO BACK ASPIRATIONS

Johnny Clinton, former New Yorker, but now of this city, is on the trail of Nate Siegal. Eddie Mack, manager of Clinton, has posted $500 as a side bet that Clinton can win over Siegal at the welterweight limit—142 pounds. If Siegal will do the stipulated notch Mack will also fight on a winner-take-all basis.

Frankie Britt or Jimmy Fruzsetti can have the same kind of a bet and battle that Siegal has been offered, at 135 pounds.

TIGERS GET EARLY START ON SCHEDULE

Princeton, Dec. 4.—Four of the seven Tiger football games in 1921 are definitely known. Harvard comes here November 5 and the Tigers will play in New Haven November 12.

The Tigers invade Annapolis and a new sectional series will be staged with the advent of Chicago. One of the above games will be staged on October 22.

TINKER TO MANAGE TEAM AT ORLANDO

Orlando, Fla., Dec. 4.—Joe Tinker, former shortstop of the Chicago Cubs, former manager of the Cincinnati Reds, and president of the Columbus, O., baseball club, has signed a contract to manage the Orlando club of the Florida State League for next season.

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College Swim March 19

New York, Dec. 4.—The next intercollegiate swimming championship meet will be held in the Columbia University swimming pool on March 19.

FALLER GOING AFTER RECORD

Dorchester Runner Will Try to Set Up New Mark for the Hour

New York, Dec. 4.—Fred Faller of the Dorchester Club of Boston, and Joe Pearman of the New York A. C., the respective favorites for the national ten-mile run and seven-mile walk championships at Glenn Park, Yonkers, tomorrow afternoon, have requested Frederick W. Rubin, secretary of the Amateur Athletic Union, to allow them to continue on and try for the American records for one hour in their respective events.

Both report that they are in first-class condition and feel confident that they can better the present record.

The competition promises to be very keen in both championships. William Ritola, of the Finnish-American A. C., Cliff Horne, of the Paulist A. C., will force Faller, every step of the way, and if he fails in his attempt to break the present record for one hour, it will not be due to lack of competition.

Edward K. Gulch, of the American Walkers' Association, is walking unusually well just at present and is expected to give Joe Pearman and Dick Remer one of the hardest battles they have ever had to lead him across the finish line. This will provide the necessary competition to bring out a record-breaking performance.

SIX-DAY BIKERS ALL SET FOR GRIND

New York, Dec. 4.—Fifteen teams are ready to face the starter at midnight Sunday in the annual six-day bike race at Madison Square Garden.

Prior to the start of the big grind a series of sprint races will be staged, the feature of which will be the international championship at one mile, best two in three heats. Frank Kramer and Bob Sears will meet the Italian team, Fiani and Verri, in this race.

SYRACUSE NINE WILL PLAY THIRTY GAMES

Syracuse, Dec. 4.—Prominent among other games on the 1920 schedule of the Syracuse University baseball team now being completed by Walter S. Smith, graduate manager of athletics, will be three contests with Southern nines, a Middle Western game with the Ohio Wesleyan ball-tossers and contests with Princeton, Amherst and Wesleyan, newcomers to the Orange schedule.

Thirty games in all will be played.

CUBS SEEK TO SIGN GIPP, PENN STATE GRID STAR

South Bend, Dec. 4.—George Gipp, Notre Dame football player, has under consideration an offer from President Veach of the Chicago National League club for a position with the Cubs next Spring.

Gipp is seriously ill in a local hospital. He is an outfielder.

LAST NIGHT'S FIGHTS

At New York—Billy Defoe knocked out Frankie Brown in eleven rounds.

K. O. Laughlin, South Bethlehem, defeated Young Billy Papke in eight rounds.

At Baltimore—Bob Roper knocked out Kayo Sampson in the first round.

At Syracuse—Mel Coogan won a decision over Harry Pierce in twelve rounds.

RACING

COLLYER'S SELECTIONS AT NEW ORLEANS.

1—Lancelot, Valerie West, Rainbow Girl.
2—Doris, Lock Levin, Innis.
3—A. N. Akin, By Heck, Jock Scot.
4—Mahoney, Marvin May, St. Quentin.
5—Rapid Traveler, War Mask, Tailor Maid.
6—Broom Peddler, Merchant, Glenwell.

SPORT EDITORIAL

You've Got to Keep Trying

Twenty-two years ago, Jim Jeffries came East for a tryout. He was to have met two men one night, made a poor showing against one, hurting his hand so he could not go on with the second.

"He's a big bum!" said the fistic followers inelegantly, and dismissed Jeffries from their thoughts. He wandered away, but returned to win the heavyweight championship of the world before the same people who had pronounced him a failure.

Jess Willard went around town for weeks, his hat in his hand, figuratively speaking, trying to get some one to manage him. He made a couple of fights before New York crowds which said, unanimously:

"He's a big bum!"

Willard went to Cuba, won the championship from Johnson, came back, and the same people who had said he wouldn't do paid thousands of dollars to see him perform.

There is quite a lesson in the experiences of these two men. Had they accepted the first verdict as true they would have quit the boxing game, discouraged. Jeffries would have gone back to boiler making, Willard to herding cattle.

Instead, both kept on trying. When defeat retired them, as defeat retires all pugilists sooner or later, both had plenty of money. They were not men of intellect, but they had in them the element of persistence, a certain stick-to-itiveness, that eventually produced its reward.

Other men inclined to be easily discouraged might learn something from the history of these two big, lubberly fellows.

Featherweight Stars in Near Title Bout

By JACK CONWAY.

The featherweight division has received a great deal of attention from our ambitious ring men since Johnny Kilbane began to lose his dazzling speed and stinging punch. Every 122-124-pound boxer in the world realizes there is a young fortune to be won by the man who can conquer the champion.

If the boxing bill is accepted by the voters at the city election on December 14, Boston may be the scene of the title contest. There is considerable interest in the featherweight division among local fans as a result of the brilliant surge of Vincent (Pepper) Martin of Cambridge.

Martin has smashed his way to the front ranks of his boxing class by a fine run of victories. He has won his last three starts in impressive style, defeating Joe Jawson, Jimmy (Young) Sacco and Harry (Kid) Brown. Tonight at the Commonwealth A. A., Martin will try to add Harry Carlson to his list of victims.

Carlson, a lightweight, has halted many boxers in their drive for fame. He has two decisions to his credit over Jimmy Fruzetti, New England lightweight champion, while he has fought Kloby, Britt, Jackson and most of the other blue-ribbon performers. The Brockton man is a good boxer and as tough as they come. He is sure to give Martin the stiffest kind of opposition.

"Irish Billy" Green Also Has Title Aspirations

The victor of the Martin-Carlson affair will probably be pitted against the victor of the "Irish Billy" Green-Andy Chaney scrap which will be staged at the Carlyle A. C.'s show at the Grand Opera House next Monday night. Green is the featherweight champion of the Middle West. He has also beaten most of the lightweights in the Middle West. Jack Lawlor, who fought Johnny Dundee and Young Kloby at Lawrence, was fortunate in getting a draw with Green.

Eddie Stanton, a ring star a decade ago, is managing Green. He predicts that his protege will be the next featherweight champion of the world. Stanton considers Chaney a better boxer than Kilbane. He argues that if Green is able to dispose of Chaney, he should be able to score an easy win over the title holder. "Irish Bill"—who is just as good a fighter as his name indicates—is working out at Bedford with Freddy Madden of East Boston, who takes on Dutch Reagan in the semi-final.

Solly Snyder Has Two Fast Stepping Boxers

Solly Snyder informs us that he is now caring for the business affairs of Joe Mendell and Max Williamson, two classy Philadelphia boys. Mendell made a good showing against Al Shubert at the Commonwealth A. A. and will appear against Billy Fitzsimmons of Chelsea at Fall River next Tuesday night.

Jimmy Fruzetti Is Heavy Body Puncher

Benny Valger is due to arrive in Boston tomorrow. Joe Jacobs says the French Flash has completely recovered from his recent operation for appendicitis and that he will take on Andy Chaney and Johnny Kilbane if successful in his whirl with Fruzetti. There are many New England fans who don't believe that Valger will be able to stand up under Fruzetti's body punches.

STALLINGS MAY BUY CLUB

Former Manager of the Braves After Minor League Team

New York, Dec. 4.—George T. Stallings, lately manager of the Boston Braves, is here on business and will remain until after the major league meetings. He has had several offers from owners of major league clubs to take charge of their teams. But he hopes to branch out as a minor league magnate and is having several properties investigated. One proposition to which he is devoting some thought is a new International league franchise for Newark.

KEANE WILL NOT LEAVE SYRACUSE FOR COLUMBIA

Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 4.—Coach Tom Keane will not quit as coach of the Syracuse University track teams to accept a post at Columbia, despite New York reports to that effect. Keane stated that he has not negotiated for the New York post and that he is well satisfied with Syracuse. He has no contract with Syracuse, working merely on a verbal agreement from year to year, but that is sufficient for both parties, and Keane's connection with the Orange is likely to continue for years.

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STRONG SHARON TEAM LOOKING FOR GAMES

The Sharon Athletic Club basketball team is in the field with a challenge to all teams that are in the running for the championship of the State. The Sharon team plays at home twice a week and is desirous of meeting such teams as St. Alphonsus, Maynard, Bunker Hill Legion, Gloucester A. A. and Randolph Legion. The Sharon team, which had a record of thirty-two wins out of thirty-seven games last season will have the same lineup as last year with the exception of Barrett, who has signed up with Windsor, Vt. John V. Collins, No. 4 High street, Sharon is manager.

GIPP REPORTED ON ROAD TO RECOVERY

South Bend, Dec. 4.—George Gipp, Notre Dame football hero, is believed to be recovering today from the attack of pneumonia that threatened his life. Physicians are confident that he has passed the crisis.

Penn State to Play B. C. in Boston

Boston College has found a substitute for the Yale game. Penn State, coached by Hugo Bezdek and ranked as one of the foremost college elevens in the country, will come to Boston next season to play the Maroon and Gold. The game probably will be staged October 22 at Braves Field.

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Curious Masterpieces

LITERARY masterpieces have been written on strange mediums. Smart's poem, "Song to David," was written with a key on the walls of a madhouse. Coleridge once wrote a sonnet on a scrap of seaweed.

A DAUGHTER OF TWO WORLDS

A Romance of Vivid Personalities and Swift and Exciting Adventure

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CHAPTER XV.

Gloria Lays Siege.

AS they returned to the house, Gloria talking in that assured manner which took everything for granted, Jennie noted a perturbed look flit across Mrs. Harrison's face like the brief shadows of an earthward-fluttering leaf. Jennie had her surmise as to the meaning of that shadow; and a hour later, when Sue came into her room and sat stiffly upright on the edge of her bed, her surmise had partial confirmation.

When the amiable Sue was indignant, there had to be good reason; and Sue was indignant now. "You know Gloria Raymond is here?" she demanded.

"Yes," said Jennie.

"Of all the nerve!" flamed the even-tempered Sue. "When mother asked her, it was a situation where mother couldn't help inviting her without being rude. And Gloria paid no attention to the invitation—and today she walks in on us without a word, just as though she owned the world! I tell you, to act like that, she certainly does think she's it!"

Jennie made no response.

"Oh, I know why she's done it," Sue went on. "Some other plan which she liked better has suddenly gone wrong, and she promptly came to us as the next best thing. She's a sweet child, isn't she'—and it's a delightful compliment to us, isn't it!"

Again Jennie made no reply. Sue was now glaring. For an instant she was silent, then she burst out again.

"And she's not here to see us at all. I told you she'd broken her engagement and had started in to try to pick up things again with Kenneth. She's after Kenneth, and for her own reasons she's decided to be right on the job. That's why she's here! Wait and see—and just watch how that girl performs!"

At the close of the afternoon Kenneth arrived for the week-end, Billy Grayson with him. When they all met at dinner Jennie at once perceived that Sue's statement of the main reason for Gloria's coming was correct. And the correctness of that statement was even more apparent when, after dinner, the young people started dancing in the great living room, Sue and Jennie alternating at the piano. There were no lost motions in Gloria's courtship, no indirection due to maidenly reserve or even to a pretended desire of being sought. She went straight and undisguised for Kenneth, just as she went for every other thing on which her will or fancy settled—with the confident air that it was hers by right, and that no one would presume to deny her.

Jennie, watching, had to admit that she knew of no one else who could carry off that manner half so well; if Gloria were not actually a beauty, with her large, proud eyes and her dark hair which she still wore bobbed, she at least had the prestige of beautyship which comes from being frequently described and published as a beauty in the society periodicals and in the picture supplements of the Sunday papers; and further, her manner, and also the impression she made, had behind them the undeniable reality of her social position and her fortune. Only a queen, her queenliness unquestioned, and herself fully conscious of it, would have dared be so direct, so openly possessive.

As for herself, Jennie swiftly discerned that Kenneth liked and admired her much the same as he had on the night of the first theatre party and on the occasions of his recent visits home. But that was all. To the swift, appropriating method of Gloria he seemed almost instantly to begin to succumb. He plainly liked her, was plainly flattered by her definite preference for him: and, indeed, was there human reason why he should not be—considering that she was a striking figure in herself, and considering all the worldly advantages of which she was the living summary?

Watching this game, Jennie was for a time resentful in Kenneth's behalf. He was altogether too fine, too worth-while, for Gloria. But presently she regarded it all more philosophically: she didn't like Gloria, and she did like Kenneth—but she couldn't help it, and it was none of her business.

Sunday afternoon brought two surprises to Jennie which made her forget the affair between Gloria and Kenneth. The lesser of these came when Slim Jackson, known here under his professional name of "Jackson Holt," drove up in the smartest of roadsters. The surprise was not Slim's arrival or his acquaintance with the family: her talk with him on the Astor roof was explanaton for this. The surprise was that he already knew Gloria Raymond, and, moreover, seemed to know her rather well. But as Jennie thought this fact over, it did not seem so strange. Kenneth had told her that Slim was received almost everywhere, and Slim, with his curious mixture of self-confidence and mockery at his success, had corroborated this statement of his social entree.

Jennie was aware that Slim was covertly watching her; and presently, when he was apart with her for a moment, he whispered:

"I say, Jen, you sure have landed big with Mr. Harrison. Keep it up. I'm no slouch—is there any way I can help you?"

"No."

"Maybe I can—who knows? And if I can, just slip me the word."

"Thanks, Slim"—but she had time for no more, for Kenneth called to him, and the two young men and Gloria drove off to an afternoon dance at a neighboring house.

Harry Edwards Came

A little later Sue and young Grayson were playing tennis, and Jennie was sitting with Mr. and Mrs. Harrison on the front piazza which looked down upon the tiny harbor—Jennie talking with Mrs. Harrison, and Mr. Harrison going half-sleepily through the Sunday papers—when the second and greater surprise came. The carriage entrance and the broad turn in the drive were on the other side of the house. Along the brick walk from around the corner, both in motor dust-coats, walked Harry Edwards and with him a tall, bulky man. The appearance of Harry gave her a start, but it was the other man who brought her to her feet, a hand going involuntarily to her heart, sudden fear clutching at her throat. For the second man was Sam Conway; he knew her father well—she had seen him often during the far-gone days down at the Pekin—and in those days he must have seen her, too. Would he recognize her? It was too late now to try to slip out of sight, so she stood waiting, palpitant with suspense, supporting herself with one palm against a white fluted pillar, while first the two older men greeted each other, and then Sam Conway bowed over Mrs. Harrison's hand.

And then Mr. Harrison turned toward her. "And this, Mr. Conway," he said, "is our guest, Miss Miller."

Sam Conway advanced and held out his hand. He had the politician's habit of handshaking, and he made much of it. Jennie could barely stand, but she laid her hand in his, and managed to look up into his face, which despite his sixty years was still full and florid—a face whose ever-ready geniality had secured for him, in addition to "Big Sam," the more intimate title among his adherents of "Smiling Sam" Conway.

"I'm very glad to meet you, Miss Miller," he said heartily, his smiling gaze full upon her.

His shrewd, frank-seeming eyes showed no recognition of her; she knew, for certain, that he had no idea who she really was. Such relief swept into her that it was well her free hand was still against the pillar. But instantly her quick mind understood; to her, in the old days, Sam Conway had been one of the large figures of her world, gazed on occasionally and from afar; to him, she had never been more than one of the unrememberable thousands of children he was forever meeting and complimenting parents upon.

"Thank you, Mr. Conway," she managed to say.

"I am very glad, indeed, to meet you, Miss Miller," he repeated in his voice, so resonant with heartiness. He pressed her hand, held it for a moment—it was his instinct to prolong a handshake when it was part of an introduction—and gazed with his steady geniality down into her dark eyes. Then he loosed her hand and turned away.

And thus, with most perfunctory words, these two met and parted—never fated really to meet each other again: and neither with even a dream of how, though never meeting, the workings of life were to make each a profound influence upon the destiny of the other.

After a moment the two older men withdrew into Mr. Harrison's study off the library, Mr. Harrison with keen interest, but also with reserve. This relationship with Conway had been good business, but he had never cared to have the relationship extend beyond the boundaries of business affairs.

"Any more news about those recreation pier contracts, Conway?"

"I've landed those all right—though we can't make it public yet."

"Good! It's mighty thoughtful of you to drive out and tell me."

"That's not what I drove out for, Jom. I could have 'phoned you that—or let it wait till I saw you in town."

"Then why did you come out?"

"Oh, Harry Edwards and I were just out driving, and I thought I might as well drop in and tell you about a little thing I learned last night."

"Yes?"

"I guess you know the twist things have taken between me and Larry Murdock?"

Mr. Harrison Nodded

Mr. Harrison nodded.

"Well, I learned last night that there is no patching things up; it's now got to be a fight to the finish. And Sam Conway's not always a safe man to buck." For an instant his genial face tightened grimly; his look gave an almost startling emphasis to his last sentence; then his features were pleasant again. "But we might as well face this fact, Jim; if Murdock does what he thinks he's going to do, he'll put me down and out."

"I'm sorry—I wish I could help you—but you know I've always said I could take no part, directly or indirectly, in your political affairs—and particularly not in your feuds within your own party."

"I'm not asking you to—yet," the other said blandly. "I'm merely asking you to consider, if I'm put down and out, what that will mean to Mr. James Harrison, of Harrison & Company, in a business way."

Mr. Harrison looked his question.

"It will mean that all the contracts I've been able to swing to the firm, I'll not be able to swing any more, and that those contracts will go some place else. It will mean that about fifty per cent. of your total business will be suddenly sliced off. That ought to interest you."

"It did. Mr. Harrison looked very gravely at Conway for a long moment. "But I don't see how I can help you. As I said, I never did mix in that end of things."

"Yes, you always was respectable, Jim." If there was irony or acrimony or menace in Conway's mind his even voice did not show it. "You took the business I turned in, and never asked questions about how I got it; you never wanted to know. And I admit it paid me to have you clean and respectable. Guess I've been fairly square myself, as men average up. But now if you don't want your business lopped in two, and if I don't want to lose everything, we've got to get down to brass tacks—and you've got to come in quick and help me."

"How?"

"Use your respectable connections. Figure out how they can make it worth Murdock's while if he leaves me alone—or how they can squeeze him if he doesn't."

To Be Continued Monday

Centres of Infection

By Brice Belden M. D.

DURING the last ten years a great number of medical writers have presented scientific proof of the relationship of what are called focal infections to systemic disease.

By a focus is meant the chief centre of a morbid process. The tonsils take first rank in this connection; then follow the teeth; next the sinuses (auxiliary chambers communicating with the nasal passages), and finally the middle ear (that part of the ear internal to the drum).

The causative relation of these primary foci of infection to constitutional disease is now established beyond all doubt.

In order to cure patients the primary focus or foci must be found and eradicated. The whole body is looked over by the conscientious examiner, and what is obviously pathological is corrected. The focus is dealt with according to its location, by well known methods.

Among the diseases which have been shown to result, sometimes from focal infections somewhere in the head, are appendicitis, ulcer of the stomach or other portion of the digestive apparatus, neuritis, muscular and joint rheumatism, neurasthenia, boils, bronchitis, asthma, Bright's disease, gall-bladder disease, "shingles," heart disease, meningitis, pleurisy and pneumonia. Certain inflamations of the eyelids and also hives have been ascribed to focal infections.

A great amount of painstaking work has been done to show that the same germs may be found in some remote organ which has become diseased as in the head focus, and many demonstrations of this sort are now a matter of record and familiar to medical practitioners.

Dr. Mayo, the great American surgeon, regards disease as an inflammatory process from infection and the efforts at repair. The infections, he says, which produce the greatest number of diseases enter the system by way of the portals which we have mentioned. Somewhere in this line, he argues, are to be found the sources of the germs which terminate life in the majority of instances.

Anecdotes of the Famous

An anecdote of Sir Henry M. Stanley that well illustrates the famous explorer's mental unrest is related by Mr. W. W. Ellsworth, in "A Golden Age of Authors."

"We entertained the Stanleys at an afternoon reception," says Mr. Ellsworth. "It was in the old clubhouse at Lafayette place, New York. I was on the committee, and I wanted Mr. Stanley—he was not knighted then—to stand in a certain place near the centre of the room, where he could receive the people. But he would not stay there; he insisted on backing up against the wall.

"Finally I appealed to Mrs. Stanley: 'Why will not your husband stand where I put him?' 'Simply,' she said, 'because he is afraid some one will stick him in the back with a spear.'"

The habit, acquired in Africa, of protecting himself by standing with his back against a wall was too much for Stanley even in the safety of a New York afternoon reception.

Saint Gaudens once related that General Sherman was like that. In making a bust of the General he had found it almost impossible to do the back of his head. He wanted no one behind him.

Seein' Things

By NELL BRINKLEY

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IT doesn't have to be any particular time for the bachelor girl to see things over her shoulder in the mirror. Any old time she can lean her face close when there's nobody lookin' and see a certain heart-stirring picture looking back at her from the deep pool of the glass.—*NELL BRINKLEY.*

Making Your Life Pay

By Dr Wm. A. McKeever

Professor in the University of Kansas and an Educator of Nation-Wide Repute.

YOUNG MAN, I want you to discontinue thinking of yourself as a mere laborer, as an employe, as hired help. You are a manager, a business manager of your time, your strength, your talent, your whole self.

Here is the very foundation of success, in this idea of self-management and now you may begin with the least ability and understanding and finally come into full direction of your best powers.

Manage your body. You have inherited so much raw physical energy. Do you understand how to direct it, how to preserve it, how to conserve it and make it perform its share of the work of life? A lazy, laggard body, a mistreated, abused physical organism, flabby and inert muscular tissues—this bad condition hinders many an aspiring youth. Study your body as you would a valuable text book and learn to use all its best forces. In time it may become a charming and willing servant of your highest purposes.

Manage your mind. Do not fall into the habit of sluggish thought. Do not waste your time in vague dreams. Do not permit coarse ideas to filter through your mind. As implied above, a healthy body will make live thinking easier. But that is not enough. You must have some daily thought stimulant by studying or reading something new, by examining some new place or thing, by talking with some one who bristles with ideas, by debating, contending, or even quarreling with some one who is at least a match for you.

You may become a manager of your mind just as you may become a manager of a store—by patient effort, by feeding your mind daily with fresh and stimulating thoughts and ideals. It is a charming afair to be master and manager of your own thinking.

Manage your morals. You waste your time in writing to me about your weak will and your lack of moral stamina. Put in more time trying to improve your morals. Practice makes for perfection here as anywhere else. Keep at it. Have a plan of improvement. Pin up a program, a pledge, an affirmation, a clean life plan for this week and live up to it with desperate purpose. Next week it will be easier, the week after that easier still.

Go to church and hear a good sermon, read your Bible daily, tell some good spiritual minded man or woman about your purpose to fight for moral self-supremacy, get suggestions from others. Revise and improve your code frequently. Why, my boy, you can develop into a tower of moral strength by just such means as these.

Manage your time. The weak man is always a squanderer of time. He loafs and drifts and procrastinates. Be none such. Work hard, play hard, eat moderately, sleep regularly, breathe deeply, sing lustily, poise calmly, pray earnestly.

Thus learn through trial and practice to be a manager, a manager of yourself. As you accomplish this, a worthy place of employment, a well-desired position, a suitable life career, will likewise slowly come to you as a revelation and an inspiration.

The joy of daily living, the pleasures of humbly serving, the triumph of a superb new birth—this is the promise I can hold out as a reward to the youth who will persist in learning self-management.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaelis

AS a fable that's helpful I beg to relate the tale of Calamity Jim, and methinks at the start, it were better to state since Jimmie was born, back in seventy-eight, nothing ever jolly looked to him. As a babe he rejoiced in the colic and croup, and soon, with the flight of the years when whooping-cough tackled the kids in his group, small Jimmie possessed the most heart-rending whoop and shed the most pitiful tears. When he started to school all his troubles went, too, he couldn't remember his verbs, he never was able to spell 'kangaroo,' he found it a puzzle to add two and two, he could not tell the Japs from the Serbs. Our hero kept telling his woes by the hour to all who would listen to him, he claimed he could not understand the Nth power and he shortly became so despairing and dour, they called him "Calamity Jim." When money was plenty all over the land, he wept because prices were high, he uttered a howl that would drown a brass band when he purchased commodities pickled or canned and raved on demand and supply. But now things are falling, he wails as of yore and grieves that his purse is so slim. When he buys for one dollar a hat that was four, he regrets that his bowler does not cost him more; that's the way with Calamity Jim. One would think that long since people tired of Jim's chat would have ended his meaningless moan, would have laid him out flat with a trusty brick-bat, but, somehow, they let him live on. He's an awful example for others to see, although he plays hob with their nerves, he makes them as happy as happy can be that they are not fashioned like gloomy Jimm-ee, and that is the purpose he serves.

A Sewing Basket

One of the daintiest and most practical Christmas gifts I have ever received is my sweet-grass sewing basket. The basket is a flat, round, covered one, with a diameter of about nine inches. The friend who gave it to me purchased eight spools of thread, both cotton and silk, of varied colors such as a housewife is using every day. Through each spool of thread she ran a piece of baby ribbon, and attached the spools to the inside of the basket, then tying with a small bow. Since the basket became mine, I have had to replace the spools several times, but it is untold comfort to me to know that my sewing basket is always in order and that I can always find a certain kind of thread when I wish it. The tape-measure, scissors, and other sewing accessories can be placed in the bottom of the basket. If you are at a loss for a suitable gift, perhaps this will be a suggestion.—In December Good Housekeeping.

Strained Relations

Mobbs—Mrs. Smith is simply mad on the subject of germs, and sterilizes or filters everything in the house!

Hobbs—How does she get along with her husband?

Mobbs—Oh, even their relations are strained.

Mrs. Solomon Says—

By HELEN ROWLAND

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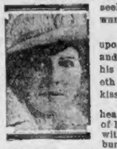
MY Daughter, a woman hath no age, and her coquetries are eternal, wherein she vampeth man for the delight of her vanity. Yea, she is shameless!



But Man hath Seven Ages, and likewise seven POSES, wherewith he seeketh to conquer the heart and dazzle the eyes of woman.

Behold, at one year, the babe flingeth his toys upon the ground and shattereth them, with crowings and gurglings of triumph. He clutcheth the hair of his nurse and is filled with his own conceit. He cheweth his toes and is pleased with himself. And his kisses are fragrant with stale milk.

Behold, at ten, the small boy standeth upon his head, and maketh terrifying faces for the allurement of his Beloved. He fighteth with his fists and parteth with his teeth for her admiration. He bringeth her burnt offerings of toads and beetles, and showeth his affection by pulling her hair. Yea, he is SO smart! And his kisses are sticky with lollypops and fragrant with currant jam.

Behold, at twenty, the youth seeketh prowess in the football game and breaketh his limbs cheerfully for woman's delight. He arrangeth his hair like unto a chrysanthemum, and adorneth himself with garments of glaring checks, and hose of gaudy purple, and cravats of violent hues. He boasteth of his wild and reckless life and of his "dark, dark past," and his vermilion present, and of his intimate friendship with prize-fighters and chorus girls. Yea, he is exceeding flashy! And his kisses are fragrant with raspberry sundaes and stale pipe smoke.

Behold, at thirty, he striveth to shock her and to startle her with his sorrow and his cynicism. He readeth Nietzsche and Freud and is filled world-weariness. He weareth a ribbon in his eyeglass and pompadoureth his hair that his brow may rival the Woolworth Building. He sneereth at love and flaunteth pessimism and defiance in the face of woman. He saith, "I am NOT a marrying man!" Yea, he is VERY "devilish." And his kisses are fragrant with Russian cigarettes, and exceeding tender withal.

Behold, at forty, he seeketh to dazzle her with the trophies of his success and conquest. He boasteth of the bears which he hath shot and of the women who have "broken his heart." He flasheth his motor car upon her, and regaleth her with costly dishes. He maketh a rarebit and is puffed up. He showeth her HOW to cook. He INSTRUCTETH her in all things. HE is SO wise. And his kisses are fragrant with Havanas and home brew.

Behold, at fifty, he seeketh to delight her with his prowess at golf. He talketh of nothing but his "score"; he showeth her how he made his "famous stroke." He sporteth white flannels and a "posy" in his buttonhole. He learneth the new dance steps, and will dance with none but debutantes. He braggeth of the "cold plunge" which he taketh every morning. And his kisses are fragrant with the sweetness of the "nineteenth hole."

Behold, at sixty, he arrangeth his hair carefully across his bald spot. He arrayeth himself in cravats of baby blue and watermelon pink. He goeth to his "gym," and diggeth in his garden, and boasteth of his "walking record," of his diet, and his "collections." He saith, "I am full of PEP!" And his kisses are fragrant with peppermint lozenges.

Oh, vanity of vanities, all is NOT feminine vanity.

At every age, man seekth to be a Charmer; and woman is his audience, his background, his chorus, and his applause.

For verily, verily, NO man is old, so long as he can see himself flatteringly mirrored in a woman's eyes!

Selah.

When a Girl Marries

By Anne Lisle

Whose Present Serial Has Scored a Big Popular Success.

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WHILE Jim and I were breakfasting on the day of our trip to Dreamwold, Hedwig summoned me to the phone, whence Val's indolent voice greeted me.

"Anne, the top of the morning to you. I'm phoning to tell you I won't go to Virginia's place with you, after all. I don't like the idea of being the fifth wheel on the wagon."

"Oh, Val, you won't be!" I protested. "Jim will beau you around the place, and maybe Tom or Tony will be dropping out to console you for the dear big brown bear's absence."

"Quite so," replied Val dryly. "But a feminine foursome is better than the aforementioned fifth wheel on the wagon arrangement. So save your breath, Anne, I've changed my mind."

"Of course, you'll be happy with Aunt Mollie," I acceded. "But we'd like you to come with us——"

"That goes without saying, and you've said it several times," said Val at her creamiest. "But I won't see you this week-end. Next week—who knows?"

With a feeling of disappointment I could hardly understand I returned to the dining room to tell Jim. He took it peculiarly enough.

"Now we won't have to take the big car," he said, with great satisfaction.

"Why, yes we will, dear. Otherwise Pat and Jeanie can't have a bit of driving," I said.

"They'd rather walk any day."

"Silly—they would not! And, besides, there's all the luggage. I hate piling it on the little car. It makes it look like a peddler's cart. Besides, there's Lyons."

Nearly Tripped Up

I caught myself up quickly and fished about in my mind for a plausible conclusion to my sentence. I had almost given away the fact that Lyons was Bertha's husband and even to Jim I hadn't a right to reveal the secret that haunted those two poor souls. Jim saved me by bursting in with a guffaw:

"I suppose, tender-hearted little little goose, you think the chauffeur ought to have a week off in the country as a tonic to his health."

"Yes," I agreed weakly. "But we owe it to Jeanie and Pat to bring the car which may give them some pleasure, instead of driving out in the one that takes care of us and leaves them out in the cold. They wouldn't say a word, but they'd think we were pretty selfish."

"Pretty small fry, eh?" asked Jim. "All right, have it your own way. I was planning to send the big car to be overhauled and put in shape; but if you want to use it, that can't be done."

"It doesn't need to be done," I announced grandly. "I know enough about cars to be sure that the limousine's in the prime of condition and that it would be silly to spend a cent on it just now."

"It's in the pink of condition, is it?" said Jim in a tone that suggested he'd lost interest in discussing the car. "Funny we should have two autos and Jeannie and Pat none. But not half as funny, I suppose, as that it should be Jeanie and Pat again.

"That is wonderful!" I said. "I'm all on tiptoe about being with them and seeing that it's really true and not too good to be true, as I sometimes find myself thinking."

"Don't pinch me for fear I'll wake up," laughed Jim with another abrupt change of mood. "I never forget, Lilac Lady, that it was you who brought back her lost happiness to Jeanie. I'm sure she'll never forget it, either. You could count on her if ever you needed her. If ever you were in trouble you could count on Pat and Jeanie."

"Yes, but I'm not going to need them while I have you," I said happily.

Whereat Jim seized me in his arms with all the passion of our honeymoon. After a moment, however, he fairly pushed me away, demanding with disconcerting abruptness:

"How much do you love me, Anne? Enough to forgive as much as Virginia did? Enough to take up a broken romance the way she did with Pat? I mean," he explained sheepishly, "would you have gone back to Pat if you'd been in Jeanie's place? Would you have forgiven your man for—letting you go the way Pat did?"

An Admonition

"You funny boy!" I laughed. "I'm not Jeanie and you're not Pat and we'd never drift apart the way they did. Don't let yourself get so morbid and fanciful, dear. You work too hard. I see it all the time. You will be old long before your day if you keep this up."

"I have to," replied Jim, grimly. "I have to."

"Perhaps it's my fault, dear," I said. "I've grown extravagant. I used to hate it when you called me a little tightwad, and in correcting my stinginess I developed into a spender. But I'd be satisfied with less. I'd be glad to dispense with a few thousand a year for the sake of keeping my boy sane."

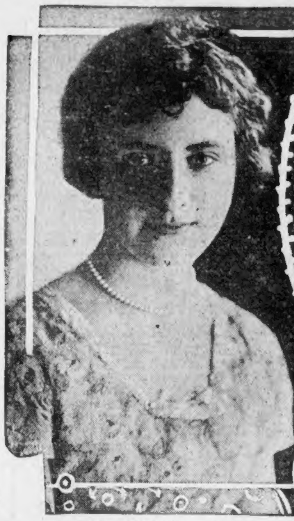
"Thank fortune, you are that kind of girl," said Jim, very tenderly. "I think you'd share bad luck with me just as cheerfully as you did in the beginning. But I couldn't stand it. I couldn't drag you down again. I've had the joy of giving you luxury—cars, clothes, servants, jewels. I couldn't bear to see it!"

"You dear, funny boy," I laughed. "Suppose we did keep only one maid or one car. Don't you think I'd be happy. I'm not a beggar on horseback, I hope, Jimmie boy. I don't love you a whit more now that you're a 'good provider,' as they say, than I did when we were living on bread and cheese and kisses."

"If ever I had to drag you back there again, though," replied Jim, wincing at the mere thought, "I think I'd go mad."

To Be Continued Monday.

Do These "Loveliest Girls" Fulfill Your Ideas of New England Beauty?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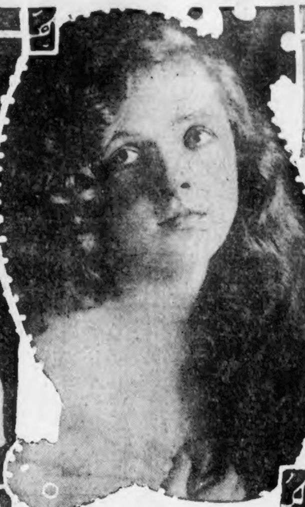
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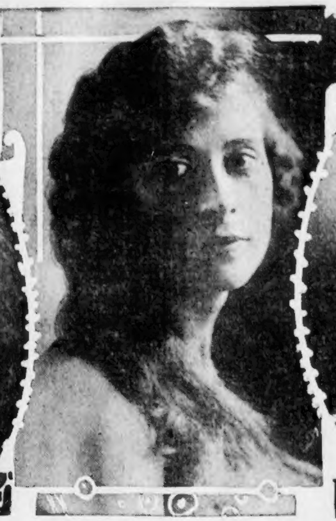
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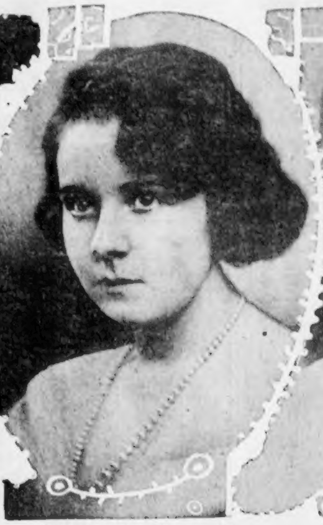
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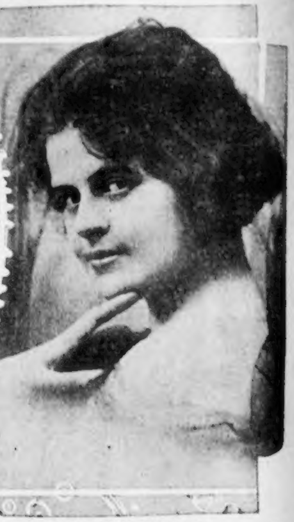
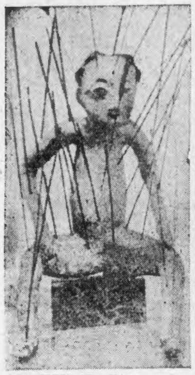

ETHEL R. COOLIDGE, Andover

THE BOSTON AMERICAN offers $5,000 in gold for photographs of lovely girls. To the girl declared by the judges to be the loveliest girl in New England, the American will pay $3,000 in gold. To the next girl in merit, $1,000 in gold. There will be two third prizes of $500 each. In awarding the prizes the judges will have in mind Arthur Brisbane's definition of beauty. Mr. Brisbane says beauty is "intelligence in a fine setting." The judges will study the photographs, first for intelligence, second for health, and third for physical beauty. There are no strings attached. Just send in the photograph of your wife, sweetheart, sister or friend. All photographs will be given careful treatment and will be returned when the contest is over. Address all mail to "Loveliest Girl Editor," [illegible] American, P. O. Box 239, Boston 9, Mass.


ALL STUCK UP—Chinese needle image. Got a pain? The "doc" will puncture you where the image indicates and let the evil spirits out.
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MAYOR TAKES CONTROL—Hizzoner John Hylan of New York "opened" the municipal trolley line on Staten Island by donning a motorman's cap and operating a one-man flivver.
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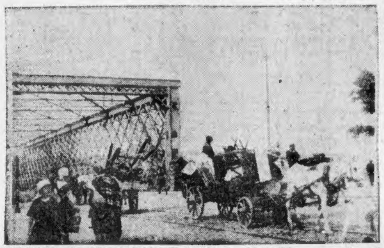
MOVING DAY IN POLAND—Most any old day. When you get real peeved at your rent-gouging landlord it may make you feel a bit better to know that in Poland people are kept moving about as the battle lines of the Bolsheviki and Polish troops shift. The wagons are shown here coming into Warsaw from stricken districts via the great iron bridge which spans the Vistula.
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SOCIETY GIRL STARS—Miss Eleanor Coleman of Philadelphia is one of the stars on the girls' hockey team which represents the Sleepy City. She is fast and shoots the puck from either side.
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HOLDS DOWN BIG JOB—Mrs. Julia L. Sanders has been elected chairman of a creditors' committee of seven to represent 1,400 creditors to a defunct brokerage firm in New York.
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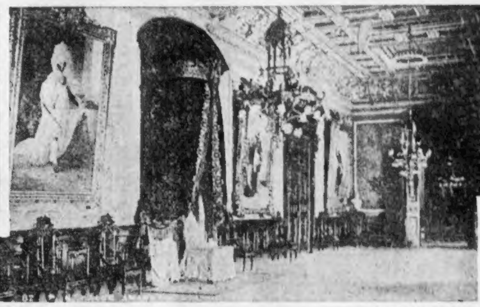
SALON AMARILLO—The "yellow room" of the Mexican National Palace, where President Obregon received the foreign diplomats when he took office last week. It is one of the richest rooms in North America.
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YOUTH'S SEASON—Not Spring, but the fast approaching "debutante time." Elizabeth (Betty) Merchant of Flushing, L. I., is one of the most charming Eastern girls who will be presented to society this month. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Huntington W. Merchant.
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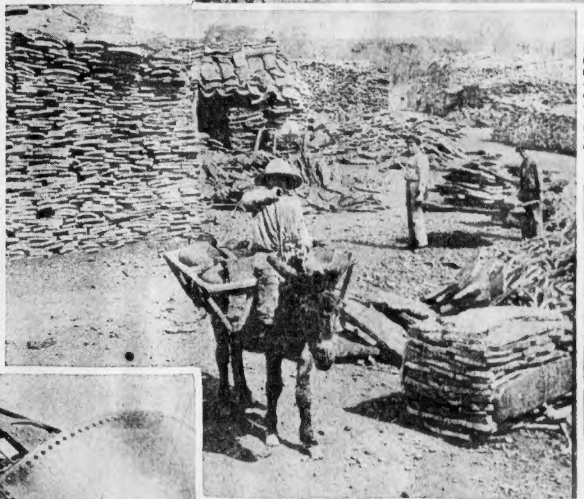
HERE'S A CORKING BUSINESS—One of the biggest cork yards in the world is located at Almoriama, Spain. Uncle Sam buys some $3,500,000 worth of cork every year from Spain and Portugal and factories here turn it out in the form of stoppers, life belts, shoe insoles and other cork products. The boy on the donkey carries water for the workmen in the cork yard.
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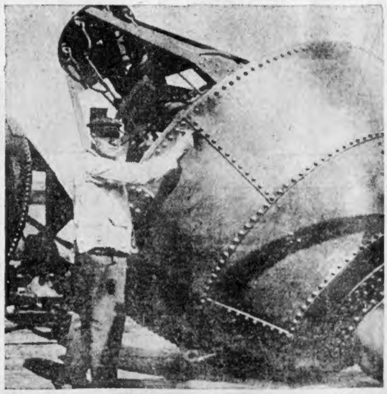
KA-SHE-WE-A-HOW—Meaning in King's Indian, "swift like a bird." This is King, leader of McMillan's dog team. King resides at the Franklin Park Zoo. At this time of year King's relatives in the North country are mushing their way over the ice fields with their sleds, while the long whip cracks in the seemingly brittle air. "Boston is good enough for me," says King.


PREPARING FOR WINTER—The Atlantic coast holds many dangers for the mariner in the Winter and each year sees its quota of disasters. To reduce these accidents to a minimum, every possible precaution is taken. Bellbuoys are now being repaired and repainted and lighthouses and life-saving stations prepared for the long battle against the wintry elements.
—(c) Keystone View.

CHUM READY FOR WINTER—Miss Leslie E. Whytal of Arlington is the proud possessor of a pointer, Chum, who last Winter created a sensation in the streets by hauling a pet hen about on a sled. The hen seemed to enjoy the fun as much as the dog. Chum is happy again now for Winter is close upon us and that means many hours of good sport with his mistress, who is a high school girl and has spent much of her spare time with her pets.
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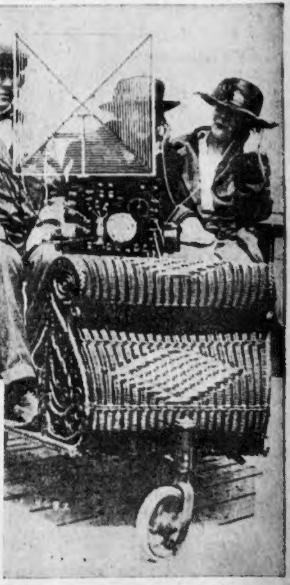
MORE LOST ENERGY—The latest case of science expending effort on useless things is this arrangement whereby rich people who ride along the board walk at Atlantic City may listen to orchestra music by wireless telephone when they tire of hearing the sad sea waves. What next?
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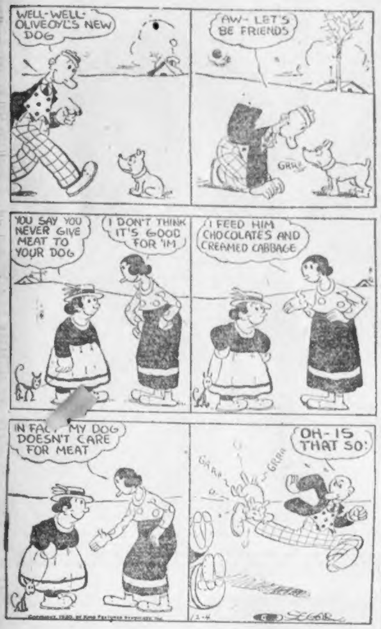
THE THIMBLE THEATRE

Now Showing—"Almost a Vegetarian."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OLIVEOYL'S NEW DOG
AW- LET'S BE FRIENDS
GRRR
YOU SAY YOU NEVER GIVE MEAT TO YOUR DOG
I DON'T THINK IT'S GOOD FOR 'IM
I FEED HIM CHOCOLATES AND CREAMED CABBAGE
IN FACT MY DOG DOESN'T CARE FOR MEAT
OH-IS THAT SO:
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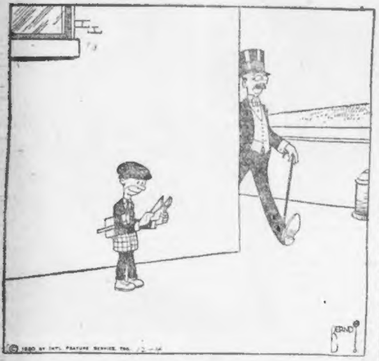
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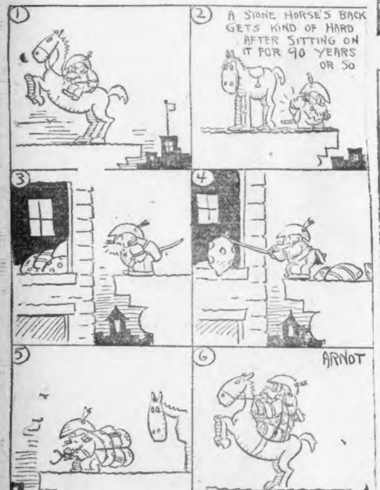
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Kabibble Kabaret

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DEAR MR KABIBBLE,

SHOULD I GET MARRIED THIS WINTER OR WAIT TILL NEXT JUNE?

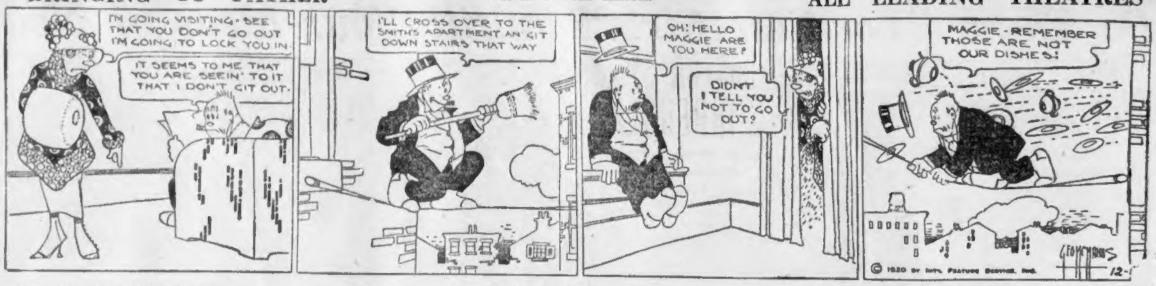
CAROLINE MESKK.

BY WAITING TILL NEXT JUNE, YOU CAN SNEAK IN THIS ONE MORE CHRISTMAS ON HIM!

BRINGING UP FATHER

A MOVING PICTURE COMEDY, NOT AN ANIMATED CARTOON

ALL LEADING THEATRES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IT SEEMS TO ME THAT YOU ARE SEEIN' TO IT THAT I DON'T GIT OUT.
I'LL CROSS OVER TO THE SMITH'S APARTMENT AN' GIT DOWN STAIRS THAT WAY
OH! HELLO MAGGIE ARE YOU HERE?
DIDN'T I TELL YOU NOT TO GO OUT?
MAGGIE - REMEMBER THOSE ARE NOT OUR DISHES!
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POLLY AND HER PALS

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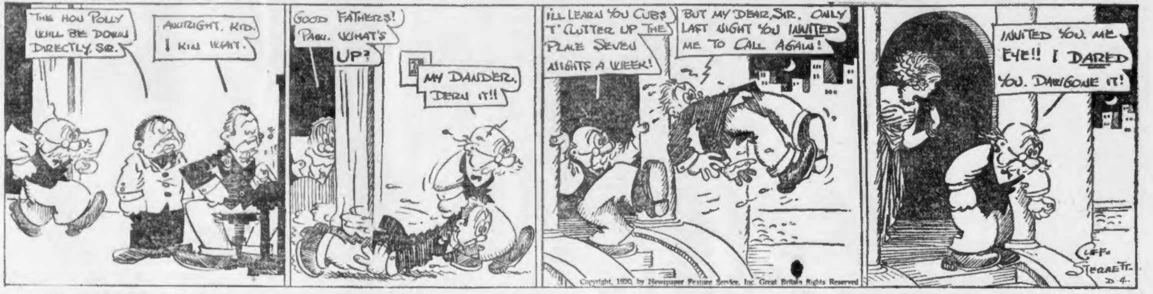
Quite a Difference Between the Two


THE HON POLLY WILL BE DOWN DIRECTLY, SIR.
AWRIGHT, KID. I KIN WAIT.
GOOD FATHERS! PAW. WHAT'S UP?
MY DANDER. DERN IT!!
I'LL LEARN YOU CUBS T' CLUTTER UP THE PLACE SEVEN NIGHTS A WEEK!
BUT MY DEAR, SIR. ONLY LAST NIGHT YOU INVITED ME TO CALL AGAIN!
INVITED YOU. ME EYE!! I DARED YOU. DAWGONE IT!
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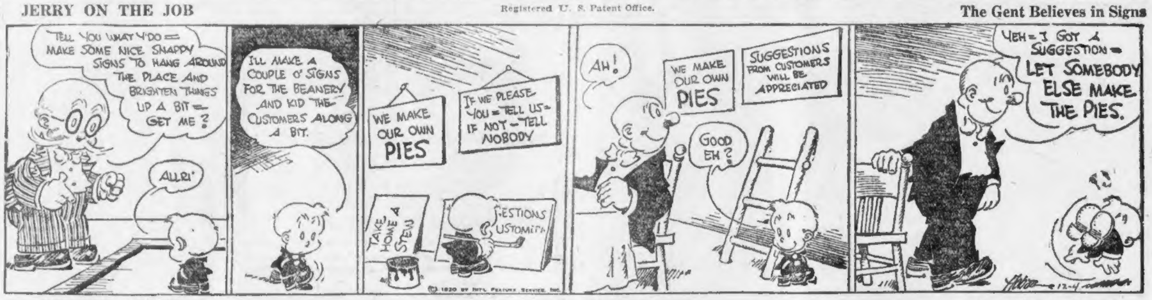
The Gent Believes in Signs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WE MAKE OUR OWN PIES
IF WE PLEASE YOU = TELL US = IF NOT - TELL NOBODY
TAKE HOME A STEW
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AH!
WE MAKE OUR OWN PIES
SUGGESTIONS FROM CUSTOMERS WILL BE APPRECIATED
GOOD EH?
YEH = I GOT A SUGGESTION = LET SOMEBODY ELSE MAKE THE PIES.
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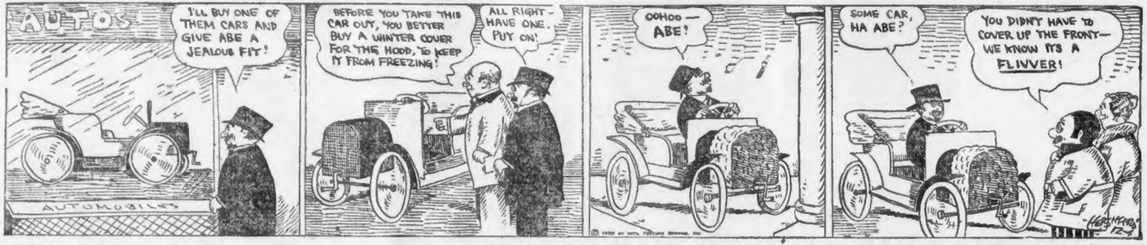
Impossible to Disguise It


AUTOS
AUTOMOBILES
I'LL BUY ONE OF THEM CARS AND GIVE ABE A JEALOUS FIT!
BEFORE YOU TAKE THIS CAR OUT, YOU BETTER BUY A WINTER COVER FOR THE HOOD, TO KEEP IT FROM FREEZING!
ALL RIGHT - HAVE ONE. PUT ON!
OOHOO - ABE!
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SOME CAR, HA ABE?
YOU DIDN'T HAVE TO COVER UP THE FRONT - WE KNOW IT'S A FLIVVER!
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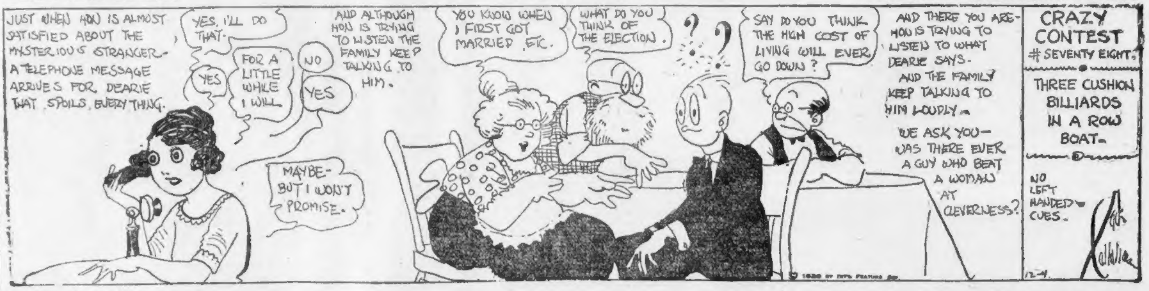
Hon Wishes He Had Six Pairs of Ears


JUST WHEN HON IS ALMOST SATISFIED ABOUT THE MYSTERIOUS STRANGER - A TELEPHONE MESSAGE ARRIVES FOR DEARIE THAT SPOILS EVERYTHING.
YES, I'LL DO THAT.
YES
FOR A LITTLE WHILE I WILL
NO
YES
MAYBE - BUT I WON'T PROMISE.
AND ALTHOUGH HON IS TRYING TO LISTEN THE FAMILY KEEP TALKING TO HIM.
YOU KNOW WHEN I FIRST GOT MARRIED, ETC.
WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THE ELECTION.
??
SAY DO YOU THINK THE HIGH COST OF LIVING WILL EVER GO DOWN?
AND THERE YOU ARE - HON IS TRYING TO LISTEN TO WHAT DEARIE SAYS - AND THE FAMILY KEEP TALKING TO HIM LOUDLY.
WE ASK YOU - WAS THERE EVER A GUY WHO BEAT A WOMAN AT CLEVERNESS?
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CRAZY CONTEST # SEVENTY EIGHT.
THREE CUSHION BILLIARDS IN A ROW BOAT.
NO LEFT HANDED CUES.
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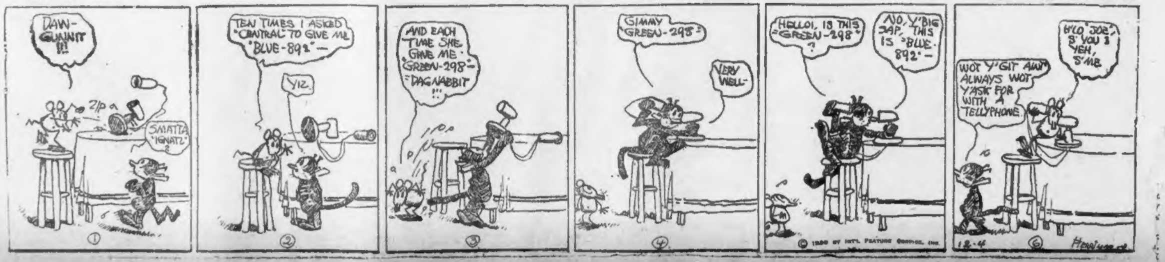
By George Herriman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ZIP
SMATTA "IGNATZ"?
①
TEN TIMES I ASKED "CENTRAL" TO GIVE ME "BLUE-892" -
YIZ.
②
AND EACH TIME SHE GIVE ME "GREEN-298" - "DAGNABBIT" !!!
③
GIMMY "GREEN-298"
VERY WELL-
④
HELLO!, IS THIS "GREEN-298"?
NO, Y' BIG SAP, THIS IS "BLUE-892" -
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WOT Y'GIT AIN'T ALWAYS WOT Y'ASK FOR WITH A TELLYPHONE
H'LO "JOE", S' YOU? YEH, S'ME
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Industrials Are Strong in Otherwise Irregular Market

COPPER SHARES REMAIN FIRM

No New Developments Occur to Influence Trend of Market Prices

By BROADAN WALL.

New York, Dec. 4.—Strength and activity of Mexican Petroleum, Pan-American, American Woolen and Reading yesterday featured an otherwise irregular stock market in which gains ranging from a fraction to nearly two points were about evenly distributed throughout the list. Except for reported improvement in the outlook for recognition of Mexico by the United States government, there were no developments influencing the trend of prices. Call money ruled all day at 7 per cent.

Following a strong opening in which Mexican Petroleum figured prominently professional traders offered stocks in liberal volume on the theory that a reaction was due, owing to the reduction of the short interest which is believed to have occurred during the last two days.

Their efforts resulted in a short spell of heaviness, but failed to cause any pronounced weakness. Offerings were readily absorbed and when the shorts began trying to cover their short sales found stocks in scant supply.

Passing of the dividends on Chino and Nevada Consolidated, directed attention to the poor demand for copper, but failed to have any depressing influence inasmuch as the financial district had expected these disbursements to be discontinued.

Reading's activity and strength were due to expectation that some announcement will be made soon regarding the company's plans for segregating its coal properties.

Willys-Overland shares dropped to new low records. The preferred declined more than six points, but recovered something of the drop before the close.

Copper shares were firm in the face of the passing of the Chino and Nevada Consolidated dividends. Consolidated Gas advanced more than a point on knowledge that the company's finances have been adjusted by the sale of an issue of one-year notes to banks, who will hold the securities as investment.

LOW COPPER PRICE RESULTS IN SALES

The prevailing price for copper is low enough to induce some buying. Sales in the latter part of this week to domestic consumers are said to total from 2,000,000 to 3,000,000 pounds. The metal is to be delivered in the first 1921 quarter. Export sales for November are estimated to aggregate 36,000,000 pounds and the price obtained is said to have netted American producers a little above 14 cents a pound. Germany was the chief buyer and France came next.

Small producers are now taking 13½ cents a pound for deliveries to the end of March. Large producers are quoting from 13¾ to 14 cents.

Cotton Markets

New York, Dec. 4.—The cotton market opened lower yesterday owing to weak cables and to Liverpool and Southern selling. Wall street was the best buyer on the decline. This was true of the afternoon also, when the market had a steady undertone. At the close, however, prices eased off again at a net decline of 23 to 50 points. Prices for the day had the following range:

	Open	High	Low	Last Sale	Prev Close
January	15.50	15.80	15.25	15.65	16.10
March	15.75	15.92	15.38	15.88	16.15
May	15.90	16.07	15.68	16.02	16.26
July	15.85	16.14	15.60	16.02	16.30
October	15.80	15.90	15.40	15.70	16.20
December	15.85	15.85	15.40	15.60	16.38

Spot 16.15; down 50

NEW ORLEANS

	Open	High	Low	Close Price
January	15.10	15.10	14.70	15.00
March	15.22	15.22	14.75	15.14

LIVERPOOL

	Open	High	Low	Closing Bid	Prev Close
January	10.80	10.94	10.59	10.59	11.18
March	10.97	11.03	10.74	10.74	11.28
May	11.08	11.09	10.84	10.84	11.37
June	10.85	10.85	10.85	10.85	11.36
July	11.06	11.07	10.85	10.86	11.34
August	10.82	10.82	10.82	10.82	11.30
September	10.78	10.78	10.78	10.78	11.22
October	10.95	10.95	10.75	10.75	11.20

Spot—11.46; up 26. Sales, 4,000 bales

Chicago Grain Market

Chicago, Dec. 4.—Board of Trade prices yesterday were as follows:

	Opening	High	Low	Closing Dec. 3	Closing Dec. 2
WHEAT—					
Dec.	168¾	172¼	166	170¼-½	169-½
Mar.	164	166¾	161	164¾-65	164¾-5¼
CORN—					
May	71½	72¼	70¼	72¼-⅛	71⅛-⅜
May	76	76¾	74¾	76¾-¼	76¾-¼
July	76¼	77⅛	75¾	77⅛	77⅛-¼
OATS—					
Dec.	47¼	47¾	46¾	47¾	47¾
May	51½	51¾	50¼	51⅝a	51-¼
July	50¾	51	50	50⅞	50½
PORK—					
Jan.	23.75	23.85	23.42	23.42a	24.00
LARD—					
Jan.	15.35	15.35	14.90	14.90	15.45a
May	14.85	14.85	14.35	14.40a	14.92a
RIBS—					
Jan.	12.95	12.95	12.57	12.60a	13.10a
May	12.80a	12.85	12.70	12.70a	....

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Rail Earnings

Reports as to October earnings by railroads follow:

Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha, gross increased $365,888, net increased $112,966.

Atchison, gross increased $3,419,015, net decreased $885,119.

St. Louis & San Francisco operating revenue increased $1,750,543, operating income increased $156,807.

Southern Pacific operating revenue increased $3,292,071, operating income decreased $337,305.

Chicago & Alton, operating revenue increased $683,164, operating income increased $202,094.

Denver & Rio Grande operating revenue increased $578,410, operating income increased $109,532.

Lake Erie & Weston, operating revenue increased $139,580, operating income decreased $121,311.

Oregon Short Line, operating revenue increased $577,614, operating income decreased $218,129.

Kansas City Southern operating income increased $1,463,259, operating revenue increased $124,649.

Missouri, Kansas & Texas, operating revenue increased $734,660, operating income increased $129,162.

Western Maryland operating revenue increased $720,466, operating income increased $360,616.

Wheeling & Lake Erie operating revenue increased $708,299, operating income decreased $14,911.

Chicago Great Western, operating revenue increased $180,652, operating income decreased $170,361.

Pere Marquette, operating revenue increased $793,452, operating income decreased $299,822.

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New York Stocks

The range of prices and sales of active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday were:

Sales	Stock	Open	High	Low	Last	Net Chge
400	AdvRumely	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
200	StLou&SF	23½	23⅝	23⅛	23⅝	— ½
300	StLouisSW	28¾	29⅜	28¼	29¼	— ¼
2700	SearsRoe	104	104	102¼	104	— 1¼
	SenecaCop	18¾	18¾	18½	18⅝	+ ⅛
	ShellTr&T	45	45	44⅝	44⅝	— 1¾
18000	SinclairOil	25⅞	26⅞	25⅞	25⅞	+ ⅛
52800	SouthPac	105¼	106	104¼	105¼	— ⅝
	SouthPacrts	21⅛	22⅝	20⅝	22⅝	
2800	SouthRwy	24	24⅝	24	24⅜	— ⅛
300	StromCar	44¼	44¼	43	43	— 1
5400	Studebaker	46¾	46¾	45¼	46	— 1
13300	TexasCo	48½	50¼	49½	50	+ ⅝
1400	Texas&Pac	20⅜	20¼	20	20¼	— 1
8500	TexPacC&O	26	29⅞	26	29¼	+ 4
400	TobaccoPd	54¼	54¼	53⅜	54¼	
2400	TransOil	9	9¼	8⅞	9¼	
2900	UnionOil	22¾	23	22½	22½	— ⅝
2400	UnionPac	119¼	119¾	119¼	119⅝	+ ⅝
500	UnitedFrt	201	201	198	199	— 3
2400	UnRetSts	57⅝	57⅝	57	57⅛	— ½
5000	USFdProd	31¼	31¼	29¼	30¼	— 1⅝
1300	USInAlco	70⅝	71¼	70¼	70⅜	— ⅝
2000	USRubber	69¼	69¼	67⅝	68	— 1¼
29600	USSteel	82⅛	82⅝	81⅞	82⅜	+ ¼
3000	UtahCopper	51	51⅛	50¼	51⅛	— 1
3400	VanadCorp	44	44¼	43½	44	— ¼
700	VaCarChem	39⅝	39⅝	38	38⅞	— ⅝
200	Wabash	8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼	
500	Wabpf(A)	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝	— ¼
600	WestMary	11	11	11	11	
300	WestPacific	33	33	32	32⅝	— ¼
2800	WstEl&Mfg	43	43	41⅞	42⅛	— ½
1300	Wheel&LE	10	10	10	10	— ⅞
	WhiteMotor	39	39¼	38	39	— ½
	WhiteOil	17¾	18¼	17¼	17¾	+ ⅝
26000	WillysO'l'd	8	8	6⅞	7¼	— ⅝
800	WorthPump	46	46	45⅜	45⅞	— ¼

*Ex-dividend.

Total sales of stock, 748,300 shares; bonds, $14,881,000.

LIBERTY BOND PRICES

Prices for Liberty Bonds on the New York Stock Exchange Friday, with changes from Thursday, were:

	Open	High	Low	Last	Net Chg.
3½s, 1947	90.60	90.60	90.26	90.26	—.24
1st 4s, 1947	85.82	85.82	85.82	85.82	
2d 4s, 1942	85.20	85.20	85.10	85.10	
1st 4¼s, '47	86.02	86.10	86.00	86.00	—.20
do reg	86.00	86.00	86.00	86.00	
2d 4¼s, '42	85.30	85.48	85.26	85.32	+.02
do reg	85.30	85.30	85.30	85.30	
3d 4¼s, '28	88.14	88.20	88.08	88.10	+.10
do reg	88.02	88.02	88.02	88.02	
4th 4¼s, '38	85.76	85.84	85.62	85.74	—.04
do reg	85.68	85.68	85.68	85.68	
Victory 4¾s	95.52	95.66	95.48	95.50	
Victory 3¾s	95.54	95.64	95.48	95.56	

FOREIGN BOND PRICES

	High	Low
Argentine 5s, rcts, 1909	70¾	70¼
Belgium gold notes 6s, 1925	91¼	91
Belgium external 7½s, 1945	98	97¾
Chinese 5s, rcts, 1951	42	41¾
City of Berne, Switz. 8s, w.i., '45	95⅝	95½
City of Christiania 8s, 1945	98¼	98
City of Lyons 6s, 1934	80	80
City of Marseilles 6s, 1934	80	79½
City of Paris 6s, 1921	94⅝	94½
City of Zurich, Switz. 8s, 1945	95	94⅞
Copenhagen 5½s, 1944	73	73
Dominion of Canada 5s, 1921	98⅞	98⅝
Dom. of Canada 10-yr. notes, '29	89⅞	89⅝
Dominion of Canada 5s, 1931	90½	89
French Government 8s, 1945	100⅝	100¼
Italian 6½s, Ser. A, 1925	85	85
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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Wall Street Briefs

On August 28 the Consolidated Textile Corporation reported for operations since January 1 a surplus of [illegible].

Alvin Untermyer has been elected a director of the Stutz Motor Car Company of America.

Montgomery, Ward & Company report a comparative decrease [illegible] in November sales, while for eleven months there was a gain [illegible].

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BOSTON STOCKS IRREGULAR

Local Market Starts Strong, but Weakens; Business on Curb Is Dull

The Boston market had a strong start yesterday but weakened somewhat during the morning and was irregular at its best thereafter. At the close the majority of active issues were off. But there had been a late rally. Trading was of good volume. Coppers were weaker, reflecting passing of dividends by Chino and Nevada Consolidated. This action caused no surprise. Mohawk and Osceola receded a point and Copper Range, Calumet & Arizona and Old Dominion were fractionally lower. Bigheart was the most active stock, having a turnover of nearly 7000 shares and closing with a small loss. Other leaders were Gray & Davis, Parish & Bingham, United Shoe and Ventura.

MOST GAINS SMALL.

Most advances were small. Torrington was up two points and New England Telephone and Atlas a point each. Fractional gains were made by Ventura, National Leather, Mexican Investment and Woolen preferred. Lows for the year were reached by Boston & Maine, which was off a point, Osceola, Calumet & Hecla, which sold at 235, U. S. Smelting, Chino, Agricultural Chemical, Ohio Body and Parish & Bingham. Issues to recede from one to three points included Agricultural Chemical, Eastern Steamship and United Fruit. New Haven was fractionally lower.

CURB TRADING DULL.

The Curb market was dull yesterday and also rather weak. It opened with declines the rule and at no time during the session had a good tone. The only two active issues were Texana and Allied Mining. In fact, trading in the first named constituted a large part of the business.

Gains included Chief ⅛, Allied Mining 5 cents, Pacific Tungsten 11 cents, Pilgrim 1 cent, Silver Reef 1 cent and Superior Oil 1 cent.

Among declines were Alvarado ¼, Mexico Oil 1-16, McKinley 23 cents, Canada Copper 43 cents, Texana 4 cents and Boston & Montana 1 cent.

BOSTON FINANCIAL NOTES

President Allen announces that application has been made to list the stock of the Boston-Montana Corporation on the Boston Stock Exchange. This company was organized earlier in the year and took over the Boston & Montana Development, Montana Southern Railway, Boston Montana Power & Milling and the Allentown Townsite Companies.

October shipments from the Fairhaven plant of the Atlas Tack Company were 967,379 pounds, an increase of 18 per cent. over corresponding month of 1919. Shipments from the Cleveland branch were 497,267 pounds.

Newburyport, Mass., has sold to the Webster & Atlas National Bank at 5.46 per cent. discount a temporary loan of $50,000, dated December 6, and maturing April 25, 1921.

The November copper output by Old Dominion was 2,563,000 pounds as compared with 2,912,000 in October, 1920, and 2,261,400 in November last year.

Pittsfield, Mass., has sold to Harris, Forbes & Company at 100.16, $17,000 5 per cent. school bonds, dated December 1, 1920, and payable $2,000 annually from 1921 to 1928 inclusive and $1,000 in 1929.

The Massachusetts Legislature has been petitioned by the Southern New England Railroad Corporation, a subsidiary of the Grand Trunk, for extension of the time allowed for the completion and operation of the "Grand Trunk extension," consisting of the right of way between Blackstone and Palmer. It wants until December 31, 1923. The extension was partially constructed at a cost estimated at nearly $5,000,000.

Dividend Declarations

Barrett Company declared quarterly dividends of $2 on common and $1.75 on preferred. Common is payable January 3 to stock of record December 13, preferred January 15 to stock of record December 30.

S. S. Kresge Company declared semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent. on the common and quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. on preferred, payable January 1 to stock of record December 15.

Canadian Car & Foundry Company declared quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. on preferred, payable January 10 to stock of record December 31.

American Window Glass Machine Company declared quarterly dividends of 3 per cent. on common and of 1¾ per cent. on preferred, both payable January 1 to holders of record December 10.

Packard Motor Car Company declared quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. on preferred, payable December 15 to stock of record November 30.

Orpheum Circuit, Inc. declared quarterly dividends of 50 cents a share on common and of 2 per cent. on preferred, payable January 1 to holders of record December 15.

Chestnut Oil Company declared a 250 per cent. cash dividend.

Atlantic, Gulf & West Indies Steamship Company declared semi-annual dividend of 5 per cent. on common, payable February 1 to holders of record December 30.

Cuba Cane Sugar declared quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. on preferred, payable January 3 to stock of record December 15.

Pennsylvania Rubber Company declared quarterly dividends of 1¾ per cent. on preferred and 1½ per cent. on common, payable December 31 to stock of record December 15.

Lehigh Valley Coal Sales Company declared quarterly $2 dividend, payable January 3 to stock of record December 16.

Stutz Motor Car Company declared quarterly dividend of $1.25, payable January 12 to stock of record December 20.

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Flour and Produce

Butter receipts were 13,145 pounds. Prices were:

Extra creamery, assorted spruce tubs, at 58 to 58½c; extra creamery, ash tubs, at 57¼ to 58c; creamery, boxes and prints, at 59 to 59½c; firsts at 48 to 56c; seconds at 40 to 47c; renovated at 49 to 50c; ladles at 34 to 36c; dairy butter at 38 to 45c.

Cheese—Receipts 67 boxes. Fresh choice at 26¼ to 27c; firsts at 23 to 25½c.

Eggs—Receipts 1,129 cases. Nearby hennerys $1.03 to $1.05; Eastern extras at 88 to 90c; Western extras at 85 to 88c; Western extra firsts at 85 to 87c; Western firsts at 80 to 82c; storage extras at 58 to 59c; storage firsts at 55 to 57c.

Beans—Receipts none. New York and Michigan choice pea at $5.50 to $5.75 per 100 pounds; common to good at $5 to $5.25; California small white at $5.50 to $5.75; yellow eyes, fancy, at $10.50 to $11; fair to good at $9 to $9.50; red kidney, fancy, at $10 to $10.50; fair to good at $9 to $9.50; dried lima beans at $8 to $8.50.

Poultry—Northern and Eastern dry packed chickens, soft, 4½ pounds up, 45 to 50c; medium, 35 to 38c; broilers, 43 to 45c; fowls, choice large, 40 to 42c; medium, 35 to 36c; pigeons, native, per dozen, $3.50 to $4; squabs, $5 to $7; Western dry packed, boxes, turkeys, choice, young, 52 to 54c; fair to good, 30 to 40c; old toms, 45 to 47c; chickens, 4½ pounds up, 36 to 40c; under 4 pounds, 30 to 35c; broilers, 40 to 45c; fowls, 4½ pounds up, 38 to 40c; 4 pounds, 35 to 36c; 3 to 3½ pounds, 28 to 32c; Western dry packed, barrels, turkeys, old, 45 to 47c; young, 50 to 52c; good to medium, 30 to 40c; chickens, 4 pounds up, 32 to 36c; under 4 pounds, 28 to 30c; fowls, 4 and up, 35 to 38c; 4 pounds up, 32 to 33c; under 4 pounds, 25 to 30c. Live fowl, 25 to 30c, chickens, 25 to 28c.

Flour receipts were 7,070 barrels. Prices were:

Spring patents at $8.50 to $9.50 for standard and $9.50 to $10.25 for special short; hard Winter patents at $8.50 to $9.50; soft Winter patents at $9.50 to $10; soft Winter straights at $9.25 to $9.50; soft Winter wheat clears at $8.50 to $9.25; rye, white patent, at $8.75 to $9.

Corn—Receipts none. Carload prices: For shipment No. 2 yellow is quoted at $1.05 to $1.07; No. 3 yellow at $1.02 to $1.05. Corn products per 100 pounds. White cornflour at $3 to $3.25; white cornmeal at $2.75 to $3; yellow granulated cornmeal at $2.60; bolted at $2.55; hominy grits and samp at $2.75 to $3; cream of maize at $4.75 to $5.

Oats — Receipts 11,630 bushels. Carload prices: Oats for shipment are quoted at 69 to 67c for fancy 40 to 42 pounds, 65 to 66c for fancy 38 to 40 pounds, 64 to 65c for regular 38 to 40 pounds, and 63 to 64c for regular 34 to 36 pounds. Oatmeal per 90 pounds in sacks, rolled $3.35, cut and ground $3.65.

Boston Stocks

The range of prices on the Boston Stock Exchange yesterday was:

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Close	Net chg.
Adventure Cons	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pennsylvania	40½	40½	40½	40½	
Punta Sugar	52⅝	52⅝	52⅝	52⅝	— ⅝
Reece Folding	3¼	3¼	3¼	3	
Root Van Dervoort	19½	19½	19½	19½	+ ½
Slumm Mag Corp	6¾	7¼	6¾	7¼	
South Utah	6c	6c	6c	6c	
St. Mary's Land	30	31	29¾	29¾	+ ¾
Superior Copper	1	4	4	4	
Swift & Co	106	106¼	105	105½	— ½
Swift Inter	27	27⅛	26⅝	26⅝	— ¾
Thos G. Plant	85	85	85	85	
Torrington	55½	57	55½	57	+ 2

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lib Reg 3d	4¼s	86.84	86.84	86.84	86.84
Lib Reg 4th	4¼s	84.34	84.34	84.34	84.34
Victory Reg	4¾s	95.34	95.34	95.34	95.34

BONDS.

At Gulf & W I 5s	70	70	70	70	
C B Q Joint 4s	90⅜	90⅜	90½	90⅝	
Chi Junc R 5s	78⅛	78⅛	78	78	
N E Tel 5s	81¾	81¾	81½	81½	— ¼
Swift & Co 5s	82	82	81⅝	81⅝	— ⅜
Un Fruit 4½s	100	100	100	100	
W Tel & Tel 5s	78	78	78	78	— ¼

Total sales of stock 36,392 shares; bonds, $63,050.

Boston Curb

The range of prices on the Boston Curb yesterday was:

Sales	Stock	High	Low	Close	Net Chge
10600	Allied Mining	85c	84c	85c	+ 5c
1200	Allied Oil	13c	13c	13c	— 1c
100	Alvarado	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	— ¼
550	Ariz Silver	21c	19c	21c	+ 2c
9600	Ariz Tip Top	10c	8c	10c	
1600	Bagdad	28c	26c	27c	— 2c
2000	Bay State Gas	7c	7c	7c	
5600	Bos & Mont	42c	40c	41c	— 1c
225	Canad Cop	90c	88c	89c	— 43c
400	Cascade	25c	25c	25c	
10	Chief	4⅞	4⅞	5	+ ⅛
100	Con Copperminee	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	
200	Crystal	45c	45c	45c	
4300	Eureka	48c	46c	47c	— 1c
100	Glenrock	2	2	2	
2100	Gulfport	4c	3c	3c	— 1c
100	Hamm	7c	7c	7c	
1700	Imperial	11c	7c	10c	— 2c
1200	Jerome Verde	15c	15c	15c	
400	Manhattan	12c	11c	11c	
1700	McKinley	23c	22c	22c	— 23c
8800	Merrimac	10c	9c	9c	— 1c
200	Mexico Oil	1 5-16	1 5-16	1 5-16	— 1-16
500	Mutual	56c	53c	54c	— 1c
100	Oneco	30c	30c	30c	
400	Ophir	42c	41c	42c	— 1c
700	Palisade	8c	7c	8c	
830	Pac Tung	38c	29c	38c	+ 11c
100	Pilgrim	10c	10c	10c	+ 1c
6300	Radler	15c	14c	14c	— 1c
1500	Seven Metals	12c	10c	10c	— 2c
500	Silver Reef	7c	7c	7c	+ 1c
1100	So States Con	35c	34c	34c	— 1c
3500	Sunburst	3c	3c	3c	
500	Sun Oil & Gas	8c	8c	8c	+ 1c
20550	Texana	30c	18c	25c	— 4c
850	Utd Verde Ex	24	23½	24	
4000	Verde Mines	30c	27c	30c	

Total Curb sales 124,320 shares.

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BROWN—In East Boston, Dec. 2, Eleanor, beloved daughter of Patrick J. and Annie Brown (nee Conlon). Funeral from her parents' residence, 852 Saratoga st., Saturday, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. Auto cortege.

COUGHLIN—In Fall River, Dec. 3, John W. Coughlin, at 399 North Main st. Funeral from his late residence, 399 North Main st., Monday, Dec. 6, at 9:30 a. m. Solemn requiem high mass at Church of the Sacred Heart at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Please omit flowers.

DEGAN—In this city, Dec. 2, John J., beloved husband of Elizabeth Degan. Funeral from W. J. Cassidy's parlors, 161 Harrison ave., Sunday, Dec. 5, at 1 o'clock. Mass Monday morning. Relatives and friends invited. Late member of Sumner Wolcott Camp 22, United Spanish War Veterans. Limousine cortege.

DE SOUZA—In this city, Nov. 30, May (nee Dealein), beloved wife of Joseph De Souza. Funeral from her late residence, 268 Commercial st., Sunday, Dec. 5, at 1 p. m. Services at St. Stephen's Church at 1:30 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Motor cortege.

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CITY OF BOSTON

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CITY ELECTION

City Clerk's Office, December 3, 1920.

In accordance with the provisions of the laws concerning elections, notice is hereby given that meetings of the citizens of the City of Boston, qualified to vote for city officers, will be held in the several polling places designated for the purpose by the Board of Election Commissioners on

Tuesday, the Fourteenth Day of December, 1920

and all such citizens will on said date, in the several precincts in which they are entitled to vote, give in their votes for three members of the City Council, and for two members of the School Committee.

They will also give in their votes "YES" or "NO" in answer to the following questions:

Shall chapter 340 of the Acts of 1920, entitled "An Act to Permit, under Public Regulation and Control, Certain Sports and Games on the Lord's Day," be accepted?

Shall chapter 619 of the Acts of 1920, entitled "An Act to Establish a State Boxing Commission to Serve in the Department of Public Safety," be accepted?

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Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this city?

The polls at said meetings will be opened at six o'clock A. M. and closed at five o'clock P. M.

Attest:
JAMES DONOVAN, City Clerk.

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Railroads Under McAdoo Best Achievement of War

Interstate Commerce Commissioner Joseph B. Eastman, addressing the Boston Chamber of Commerce recently, said that history would adjudge the government operation of the railroads to be one of the great achievements of the war. We shall go farther than Mr. Eastman and will say that history will adjudge the government operation of the railroads to be the greatest achievement of the war.

We have more than once related the story of the taking by the government of the railroads during the war and the reasons for that taking. It is a great story of a very critical situation, magnificently met by the government.

The representatives of the United States and of the associated nations in the war, particularly of Great Britain, France and Italy, met at a certain place on a certain occasion to allocate the contributions which their respective nations should make to the great struggle. Among other things, it was agreed that the United States should ship certain quantities of grain each month for the use of the troops in France and Italy. In the early part of December, 1917, the Prime Ministers of Great Britain, France and Italy each instructed their ambassadors to proceed together to the President and to notify him that France had been obliged to reduce the allowance of rations to the French troops once, and that Italy had been obliged to reduce the allowance to the Italian troops twice, a reduction which could not be repeated to either army without danger of mutiny and total collapse of the armed forces fighting Germany.

The Prime Ministers of our associated powers instructed their ambassadors to advise the President that these reductions in rations had been compelled by the failure of our government to make the monthly contribution of grain which had been agreed upon, and that at the date mentioned, in December, 1917, the arrears of contributions of American grain was not only threatening disaster, but that the progressive character of the arrearage was still more threatening. The ambassadors were further instructed to suggest to the President that the agents of their governments, after an investigation, had found that the trouble lay with the railroads.

This was true. The railroad, alone among the elements of the country which had been mobilized to furnish the grain, had failed. The farmers who had been exhorted to plant more grain had responded. The fields teemed with harvest throughout the West. The warehouses were full of grain, and it lay in great stacks in the fields. But the ships lay idle in the harbor with their empty holds yawning for grain that never came. Railroad incompetence under private management caused the awful hiatus between the teeming fields of the West and the empty ships in the harbors of the East. It was then that the government, under a President who had not yet breathed the enervating air of Buckingham Palace, took the prompt and decisive step of placing the railroads under government operation.

William G. McAdoo was made director-general and proceeded to operate the roads as the representative of the government. In March, 1918, under government operation, the railroads not only succeeded in so increasing the amount of grain that they hauled to the ships in ports as to be able to haul the allotted amount of grain each month, but in those few weeks the railroads, under government operation, made up the huge arrearages which had accumulated in the previous December under private management.

History will not only adjudge the government operation of the railroads our greatest achievement in the war, but it will adjudge William G. McAdoo to have been one of our greatest administrators.

If we had to put the railroads in government hands to make them most efficient, why did we give them back? Is our cost of living so low that we do not need the most efficient railroads we can get all the time? Does the average man in the United States earn so much that his family can afford to let Wall Street play with our great arteries of commerce, when every game that they play with the railroads as the stakes makes some grievous addition to our cost of living?

Would City Sell Gas Works and B. & M. for Tax Arrears?

Three big public service corporations owe the city of Boston more than a million and a quarter dollars in taxes this year. Then there are between eight and nine thousand little pieces of property on which the total amount owed in taxes are about one million one hundred thousand dollars.

These little pieces of property will be sold for non-payment of taxes. We wonder when the city will sell the Boston Consolidated Gas Company and the Boston & Maine Railroad for non-payment of taxes!

What odds will anybody give us that there will be a sale of these properties for the non-payment of taxes?

Good Idea to Investigate Treatment of Gen. Edwards

We are very glad indeed to learn that Congressman Gallivan and other friends of impartialty in the handling of our soldiers are determined to have an investigation of the treatment of General Clarence Edwards by the War Department.

If he has been fairly treated then we are wasting a great deal of time and sympathy on the subject. If he has been unfairly treated his treatment impairs the morale of our army very seriously and the guilt of it ought to be placed somewhere and an example made of it which will be beneficial for some time to come.

Once-Overs

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THE CHILDREN AND THE FUTURE

Mr. Parent, when your wife makes suggestions that your children have the benefit of instruction along certain lines at which you feel sure they could never make a living, do not object.

As your children grow older they may associate with some who are accomplished along these subjects, which a mere public school education does not give, and the ability to entertain others in a skillful and delightfully expert manner may mean a great factor in advancing the material interests of your child.

As a parent it should be your aim to prepare your son and your daughter to be companionable and interesting to the sons and daughters of others who have been even more liberal in their ideas of educating their children.

Water seeks its level, and like attracts like in education, because congeniality means much, so be as broad and far-sighted and particular as you can that the children take advantage of every opportunity presented to fill their minds with the best in every line in the order of its importance, as you see it, after studying it out.

Good company goes a long way toward keeping the boys and girls straight.

The Lesson of a Breakdown

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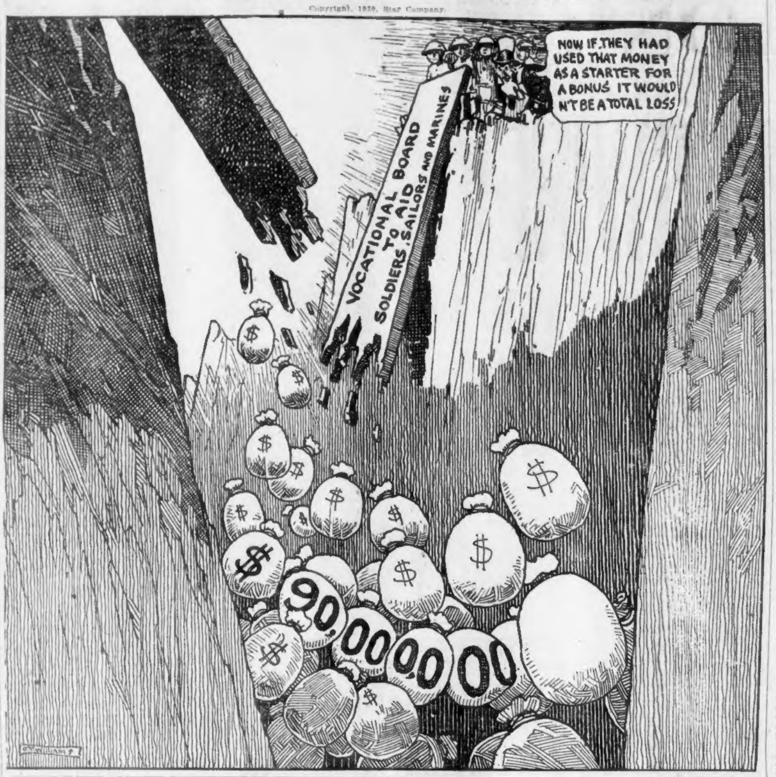
NOW IF THEY HAD USED THAT MONEY AS A STARTER FOR A BONUS IT WOULDN'T BE A TOTAL LOSS
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More Truth Than Poetry

Look for Pleasure and You'll Find It

By S. E. KISER

I WISH to thank a certain man
For something that I owe him;
I do not know his name, nor can
I ever wish to know him.
He wears a wig, his nose is red,
It must have cost him dearly;
I owe him something, as I've said,
And I'll explain it clearly.

THE car was filled; I saw him smile
And try to win attention
From one who sat across the aisle—
A beauty, I may mention;
Her knees were crossed, she showed a pair
Of legs that were entrancing;
I found it difficult, I swear,
To keep myself from glancing.

HOW pleased he was, the flabby fop,
His poor old, weak eyes blinking!
She often let her glances drop—
I know what she was thinking.
He hemmed and wriggled where he sat
And pulled himself together;
Stuck in the ribbon of his hat
There was a small red feather.

HE tried to seem a youthful blade,
Possessing youthful notions,
And one could see how he had made
Much use of dyes and lotions.
I might have pitied him, but let
Me pass that for the present;
To him I owe a lasting debt—
He made my journey pleasant.

BUT THEY ARE SCARCE

Some men are so great that they can wear whiskers and still make women admire them.

Letters to the Editor

Editor Boston American:

Dear Sir—Two days before Thanksgiving Day a Mississippi mob battered down the doors of a courtroom, seized a prisoner who was being tried at a special term of the court and dragged him at the end of a rope tied to the rear axle of an automobile, finally hanging the lifeless body and riddling it with bullets.

On Thanksgiving Day a New York newspaper published the following headline:

"Lynch Negro by Mistake Georgia Posse Shoots Brother of Man Who Killed White."

In Mississippi the sanctity of a courtroom was violated. In Georgia an innocent man was brutally murdered. No one will be punished for participation in these or the fifty other atrocities which have disgraced the United States before the world in 1920.

The American people are now given opportunity to end this disgrace. Senator Curtis and Representative Dyer have introduced in Congress a Federal anti-lynching bill, which provides:

1. For a $10,000 fine to be paid by any county in which a lynching occurs.
2. For prosecution of negligent State and county officers in United States courts.
3. For trial on charges of murder in a United States Court of all participants in lynchings.

May we, through the Boston American, ask those citizens who want lynching in the United States stopped to write their senators or representatives, urging enactment of Federal anti-lynching legislation?

Yours very truly,
JAMES W. JOHNSON,
Secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

Smiles

The print paper shortage would be solved if the European archives were opened and the secret treaties turned over to the newspapers for use as newsprint.

Judging from the newspapers, which report that every murderer sentenced to death hears his sentence with "an immovable face," a lot of good poker players are being killed by the State.

Ye TOWNE GOSSIP

Registered U. S. Patent Office.

By K. C. B.

Dear Mr. K. C. B.—On my first appearance last Monday at the Republic Theatre in "Daddy Dumplins," my own daddy gave me a walking doll. I have been thinking about it and I thought that I would dress it all up and send it to you and perhaps you can sell it at your benefit for enough money to buy a lot of dolls for children who haven't any at all.

Your friend,
ELIZABETH GULICK.

MY DEAR Elizabeth.
IT'S A good idea.
AND WE'LL do it.
AND I'D like you.
TO COME along.
WITH THE walking doll.
AND MAYBE.
YOU COULD sell it.
FOR A lot more.
THAN SOMEONE else.
AND IF you like.
YOU MAY bring along.
YOUR STAGE Daddy.
MR. MACLYN Arbuckle.
AND HE'S so big.
AND YOU'RE so little.
THAT BETWEEN you.
YOU SHOULD be able.
TO GET a lot.
AND ANYWAY.
IT'S KIND of you.
WHO ARE so busy.
IN "DADDY Dumplins."
TO WANT to help.
AND IT is my wish.
THAT WHILE you grow.
FROM A little girl.
INTO WOMANHOOD.
THERE'LL COME no day.
WHEN YOU'LL forget.
THAT IN this world.
THERE'S ALWAYS room.
FOR A kindly act.
AND EVERY year.
AT CHRISTMAS time.
ARE MANY prayers.
FROM LITTLE girls.
TO SANTA Claus.
FOR JUST a doll.
AND WE must help.
OR SANTA Claus.
MAY FAIL to hear.
SOME OF the prayers.

How much am I bid for her?

I THANK you.

A LUCKY ESCAPE

"I suppose you were awfully worried when you heard that your daughter had eloped."

"Worried? I should say not! It let me out of the job of wearing a frock coat and giving her away before a bunch of people in church."

Shaw Foresees America at War With England

GEORGE BERNARD SHAW declares war between England and the United States is inevitable unless Premier Lloyd George changes his policy on the Irish question.

The witty and clear-thinking Irishman has written a series of powerful articles for the Boston Sunday Advertiser. They are entitled "The New Terrorism." The first will appear tomorrow.

Shaw assails Lloyd George for holding Ireland to be a "fearful danger" to England. In reality, he says, there is as much danger that San Salvador will rob the American Secretary of War of his sl[illegible]. There can be no surety for England until she is mistress of America's helium, indispensable to warfare in the air. Therefore England must tear up the Declaration of Independence. The American people can give force to their objection only by subjugating the British Empire.

This, Shaw shows, would be a crushing blow to civilization—and all because Lloyd George regards a small state as "fearfully dangerous."

The British blockade of Tralee is described by a correspondent on the scene. In this devasted Irish town, recently adopted by friends of Ireland in Massachusetts, the British troops have forcibly prevented the baking of bread. Women and children are facing the prospect of starvation.

The correspondent writes: "The blockade broke Germany. Why not break Ireland by the same means? England is now making the experiment."

Francesco Nitti protests against European policies inspired by blindness and brutality. The former premier of Italy, the foremost Liberal statesman of Europe, sees no hope for a return to pre-war conditions abroad inside of five or six years.

Shall woman propose marriage to the man of her choice? "Yes," says a young unmarried Boston woman writing in the Boston Sunday Advertiser under the pen name Minerva Tarlow. She declares ' would be the solution of the marriage problem. In striking phrase and epigram she declares woman's new-found political freedom is worthless if she is not actually the "equal" of man in "shopping for a husband."

Miss Tarlow's article is sure to start a spirited discussion at a time when the divorce mills are breaking all records and in a part of the country where the women outnumber the men.

The first woman "boss" in New England lives in Greater Boston. She will undoubtedly elect her candidate for mayor next Tuesday.

Who is this woman who controls votes without henchmen or any of the elaborate machinery employed by "bosses" of the sterner sex? Why has she taken up politics? How does she choose her candidates? What are her policies and programs? What are her ambitions? Tomorrow's Boston Sunday Advertiser will tell all about this natural-born politician.

Twelve exiled, but stout-hearted, young Russians are educating themselves in Boston against the day when they can return to their homeland and help put the Russian bear on its feet.

In other American colleges peasants and nobles are training as industrial specialists so that they may return with practical means of supplying Russia's needs. Two sons of Admiral Wiren, slain at Kronstadt the first day of the revolution, are among the number. In tomorrow's Boston Sunday Advertiser they tell the plans of this army of education.

In Greater Boston there is an ancient house which could tell more tales—if houses had speech as walls have ears—than probably any other in America. Pages of American history have been written there. In its secret passages men famous in history have hidden while a price was on their heads.

Stories of ghosts who prowled the old house persist. They have even been under scientific investigation. Woven like a golden thread through the history of the house are romances of Colonial days.

Charles O. Power tells how red tape has been cut in order to give the needy, sick or disabled American doughboy the "glad hand."

In the third installment of his report on conditions of government care and aid he credits much of the progress made in the past year to Uel W. Lamkin, director of the Federal Board for Vocational Training. Mr. Lamkin admits that many of his reforms were inspired by suggestions made by the Hearst newspapers.

Pie—and they say it is the best in Boston—is six cents at the co-operative lunch room run by the employes of a Federal department. How hundreds of men and women have defeated the high cost of living by obtaining nourishing meals at cost is told in tomorrow's Boston Sunday Advertiser.

The co-operative purchase at cost of everything needed to maintain the households of these employes is the next step in their program.

Bostonians with faith, a thirst and $18 are drinking carbolic acid "Scotch" whiskey. Tomorrow's Boston Sunday Advertiser will tell of the weird chemistry, the fake bottles and the bogus labels that are the bootleggers' stock in trade and how the "bottled in bond" swindle claimed so many dupes.

The college girls are getting to be regular editors. They've had a convention and delegates from Radcliffe, Wellesley and other Eastern colleges for women have staged a good old-fashioned shake-up. You won't recognize the college papers when all the new ideas are injected. The girl editors take their hats off to none of the papers issued by the men's colleges.

Laugh with George Ade. "The Hungry Man from Bird Centre and the Trans-Atlantic Touch" is the title of the new Fable in Slang the famous humorist has written for tomorrow's Boston Sunday Advertiser.

How to work your way through college. This problem is solved at the College of Liberal Arts, Boston University, where three-fourths of the men and women students are either entirely self-supporting or earn a large part of their expenses. They are found as ministers, 'phone operators, housemaids, butlers, bellhops; even dishwashers. Tomorrow's Boston Sunday Advertiser will tell how they do it.

GARRETT P. SERVISS' ARTICLE

By Garrett P. Serviss.

"Is there any place in the United States where they have no thunderstorms? Kindly write a few lines on this subject to settle a discussion in our sewing club.—Flora Dowd, Demarest, N. J."

IT is not surprising that the members of a New Jersey sewing club should, this Summer, be discussing the existence of some favored spot of earth where thunder and lightning are unknown, for I myself have, I believe, seen and heard more thunderstorms growling, crashing, throwing electric darts, and blackening the sky over and about the Palisades during the past two months than ordinarily occur in this part of the country during the whole year.

There is perhaps no part of the generally inhabited regions of the earth where thunderstorms are absolutely unknown, but there are places where they occur with extreme rarity. Upon the whole, we are favored in this respect as compared with the southern and central portions of the United States. The authorities on this subject usually set down Florida and the Mississippi Valley as the parts of our country where thunderstorms are the most frequent. Their average number per year around the shores of the Gulf and along the broad, rich trough of low or slightly rolling land through which the great "Father of Waters" flows, is estimated at from 35 to 50.

In the region of the Great Lakes the average annual number is reduced to about twenty. In the New England and Middle States it has been put as low as ten. In the Rocky Mountains the average is higher, but west of these mountains it drops lower, and there are at least two States, California and Arizona, where thunderstorms are so rare that the occurrence of one is regarded as quite phenomenal. In southern California a year or two may elapse without a single thunderstorm.

Some curious statistics have been gathered concerning the supposed relationship of particular kinds of soil, and even of particular species of trees, to the average frequency of lightning strokes. These are not to be taken as thoroughly established facts, though they may have some basis of truth.

Thus it has been affirmed, as the result of special studies, that the relative frequency with which lightning strikes into the soil is, for chalk, one; for clay, seven; for sand, nine, and for loam, twenty-two. With regard to the relative liability of trees to be struck by lightning, the following figures have been given: Oak, fifty-seven; fir, thirty-nine; pine, five; beech, one. In all estimates of this kind oak always heads the list as the most subject to be struck, and beech stands at the bottom as the least in danger from lightning.

It might, perhaps, be well to remember this if caught out in the open country during a thunderstorm, but then you must know an oak from a beech when you see them. Other statistics which may interest you show that trees struck by lightning are almost invariably isolated in open fields, or in the edge of forests. The moral is, the woods are a safer refuge than single trees in a thunderstorm. In fact, all authorities warn against the danger of standing under or very near an isolated tree.